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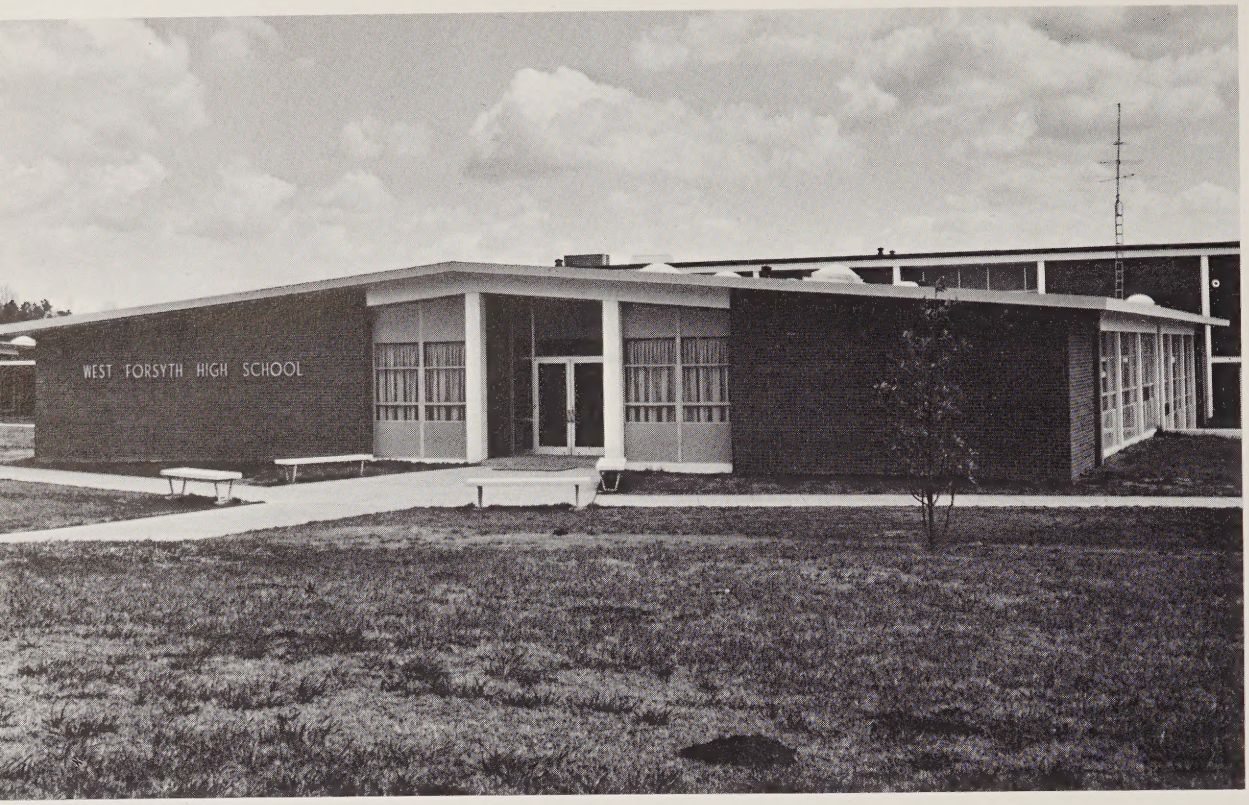
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Hitting the target of achievement requires careful aiming at the right goals. Every Titan enters West with personal goals to reach. Student groups, student government, faculty, and academics help him shoot straight for accomplishment. After-school activities cause Titans to work together to bring victories and recognition to West, while achieving good individual qualities. Coaches and advisors encourage athletes and members to aim higher and higher. Student leaders guide students to active participation in government and class projects. Helping, encouraging, leading, and guiding are part of MAKING THE MARK!

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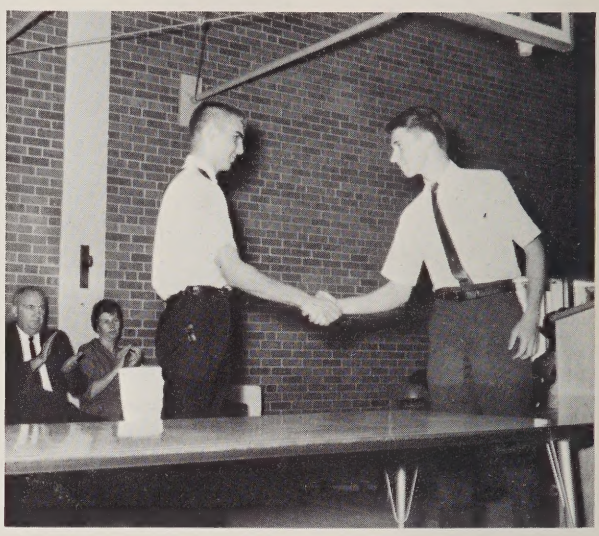
1968-69—A very good year

With overabounding spirit, assemblies, classes, pep rallies, tests, athletic games, club meetings, and friends, Titans met the many goals set opening day, 1968.

Through Spirit Weeks, competition inside and outside West, and successful athletic teams, school spirit flourished. Assemblies ranging from karate to classical music provided a change of pace. Classes of drama to classes of physics offered every phase of education to exploring and inquisitive Titans. Clubs for every purpose and teams for every sport provided an outlet for active Titans.

Assemblies, classes, teams, and spirit led to steadiness of minds and ability of hands which caused accuracy in hitting every Titan target.



Government changes hands as Ken Gabard, (left) outgoing president, congratulates new student body president Neville Chaney.

Right, top: "A little more to the left—smile, and (flash!), thank you. **Right, bottom:** "O.K. now, one more time."

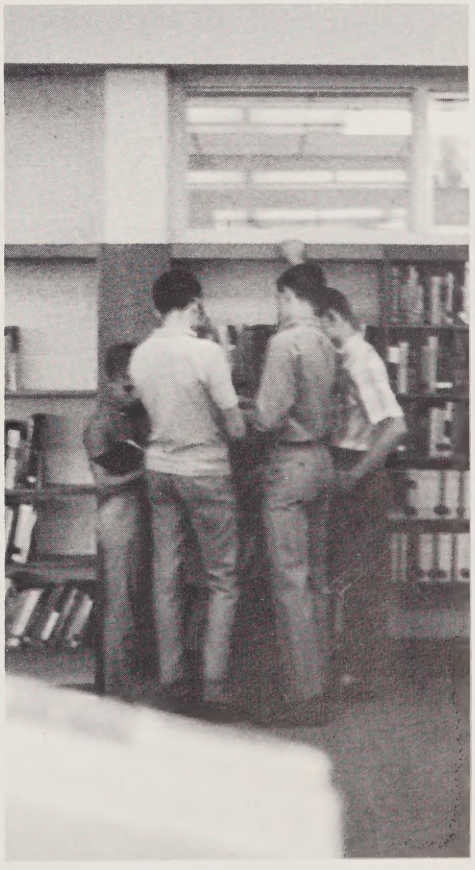
"**Well,** Mozart wasn't exactly what we had in mind."

New York—Here we come!

Journalism students Darla Morgan, Mary Ann Farrell, and Louise Smith tour the offices of the Winston-Salem Journal and Sentinel.

Nourishment for the grapevine, as well as for the stomach.

"I still say last month's fold-out is better.



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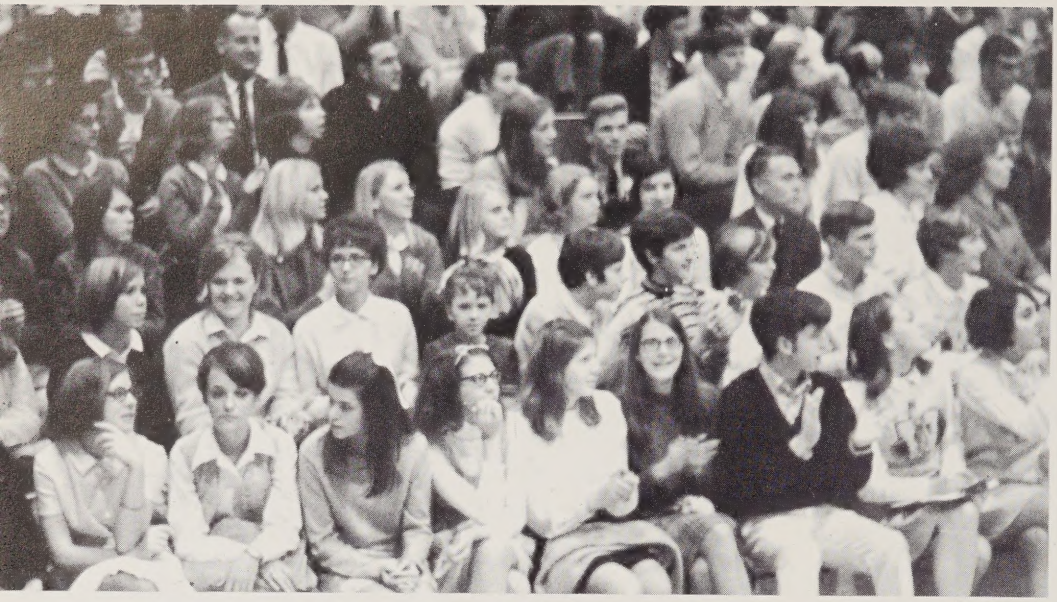


It takes all kinds to make up a spirited crowd to yell the Titans on the victory.

I came back!

It seems teaching driving isn't enough. Mr. Miller now spends his extra time directing traffic.

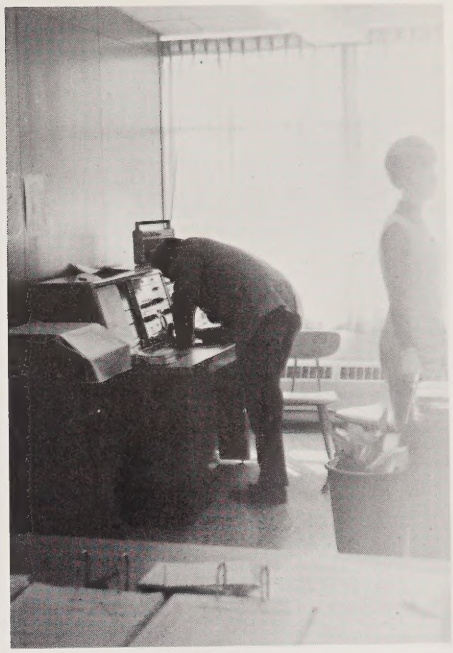
Assembly over, students eagerly (?) return to class.

play make all-round Titans

I came back!

But I wish I hadn't!

Familiar words of Mr. Holliday; "Will the following students report to the office?"



WOW! an unforseen advantage to Spirit Week—a better appreciation of the leg's anatomy.

Cheer up, group. This is better than marching.

Successful

West's John M. Morehead scholarship nominees are Bruce Snyder, Paul Chandler, and Jeff Minick. Jeff advanced to district competition. Winners of the competition win a full scholarship to U.N.C.-C.H.

Mark Padgett, Gail Huston, Elaine Rinehart, and Bruce Snyder attended the 1968 session of the Governor's School. Chosen for excellence in talent or excellence in academics, students receive educational enrichment for six weeks during the summer.

Tapped for outstanding journalistic work, members of the Quill and Scroll are listed on the national roll of this honor society for journalists. Tony Chappell, Miss Ruth Farthing, advisor; Wanda Wooten, Phyllis Blackburn, Mary Etchison, Darla Morgan.

arrows land at West

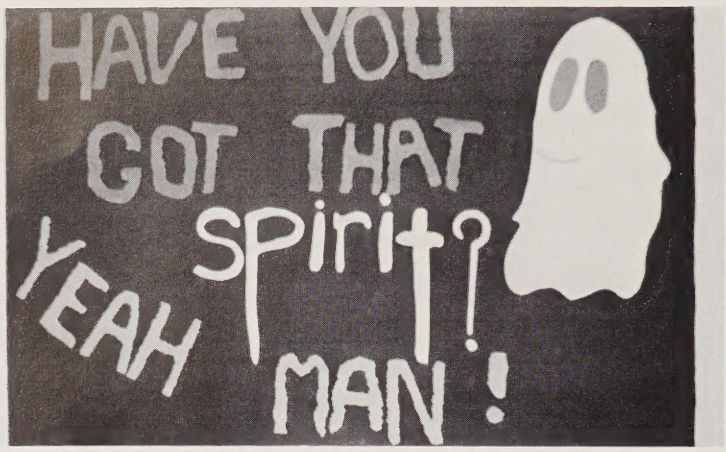
Taking a college credit course in the morning at Reynolds High School are the advanced placement students Mark Padgett, biology; Jerry Klein, English; Jeff Minick, history; Bruce Snyder, chemistry; Pat Coordsen, history; Beth Nowell, chemistry.

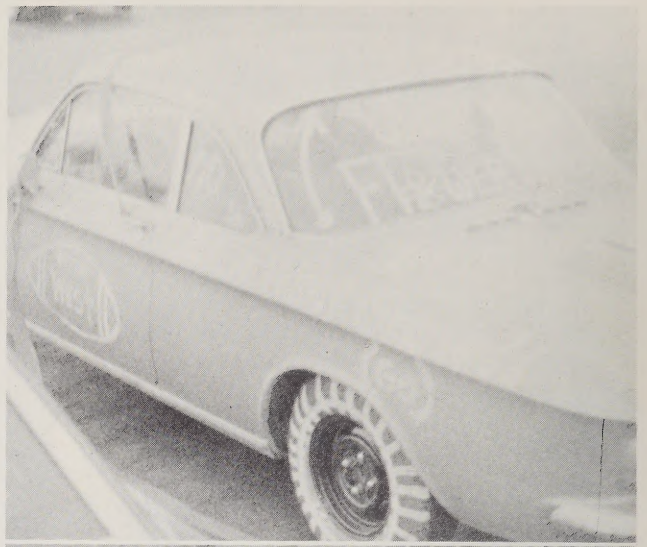
Recognized as National Merit Semi-finalists are Gail Huston, Carolyn Simmons, Bruce Snyder, and Debbie Thomas.

Mary Wackerhagen is a nominee for the Katherine Smith Reynolds scholarship at U.N.C.-G. Neville Chaney represented West at Boys' State at Wake Forest University last summer. DAR Good Citizen is Trimella Wooten.

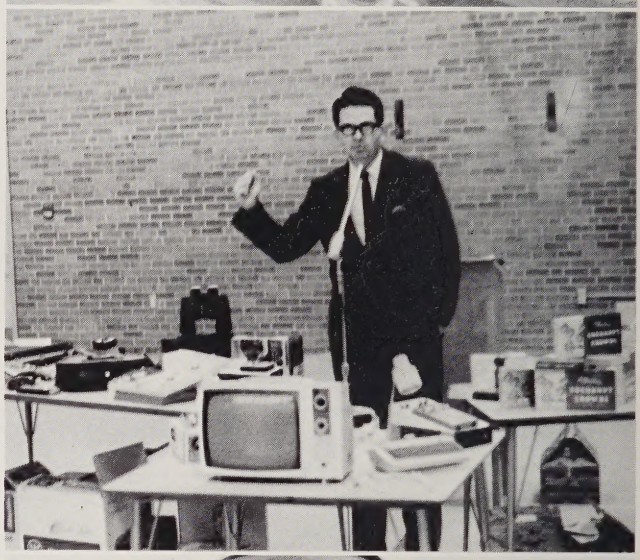
Chosen by the Key Club as their sweetheart is Mary Etchison.

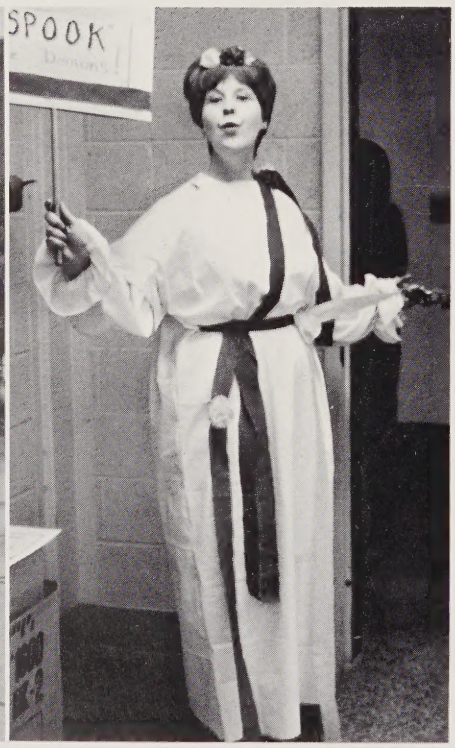
Spirit hits West

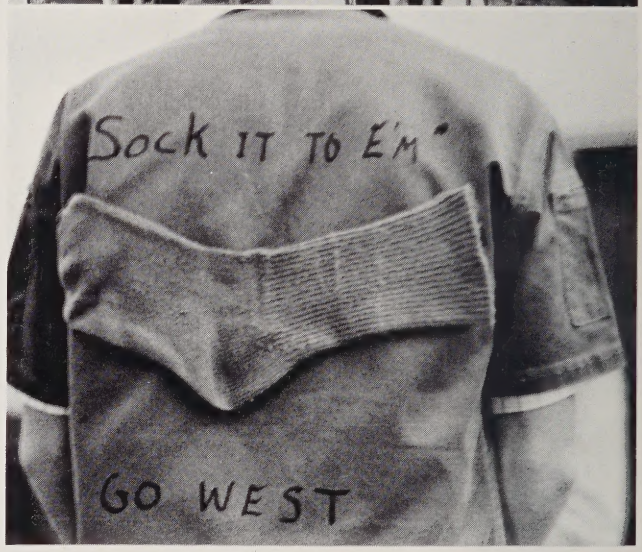




Yelling for a Titan victory, Donna Mullican, Rhonda Moorefield, Betty Davis, and Lin Haynes join in the activity of a pep rally.





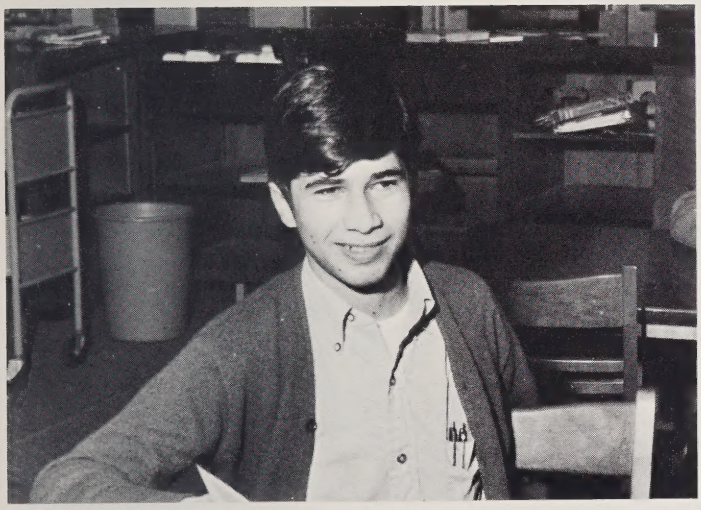


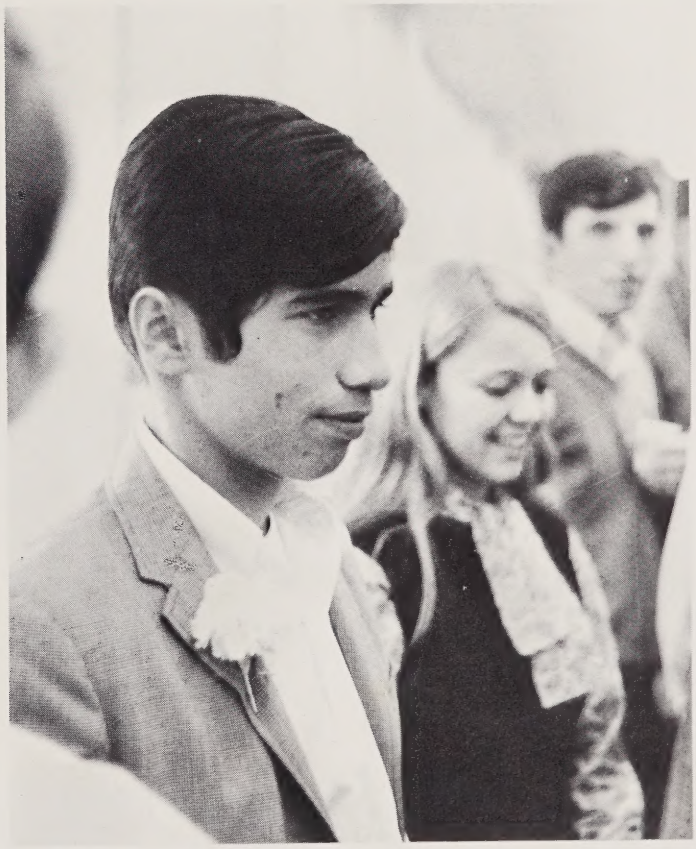
Top: Spirit cars?! **Center:** "Candy Bill" displays prizes for candy sales campaign. Classes divided the money from the sales. **Bottom:** "That's cute—real cute."

Far left: "Hey all you Titans—work it out!" **Left:** Ghost Perdue represented the sophomore class for sponsor day during Spirit Week.

"Let's hear it for the Titans!" Young, middle, and old fans alike support West.

Jaime Patino is West's first exchange student





Above: Answering questions about his home, school, and friends, Jaime Patino finds West a "home away from home."

Upper left: Studying the same subjects as juniors, Jaime relaxes with a magazine in the library.

Lower left: Officially welcoming Jaime to West with a reception, students like Penny Minick enjoys the refreshments. Beth Alspaugh refills Penny's cup.

Outside class.

Wanna bite? It's good!

John Swajkoski starts out on a run that broke a school record.

"We're gonna win this game there's no doubt about it!"

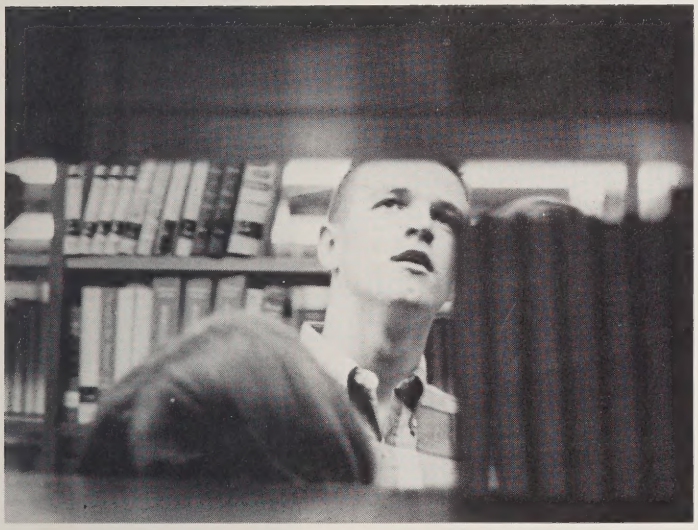
Eddie "Choo Choo" Simpson

One newt's eye, one frog leg, two pig feet . . .

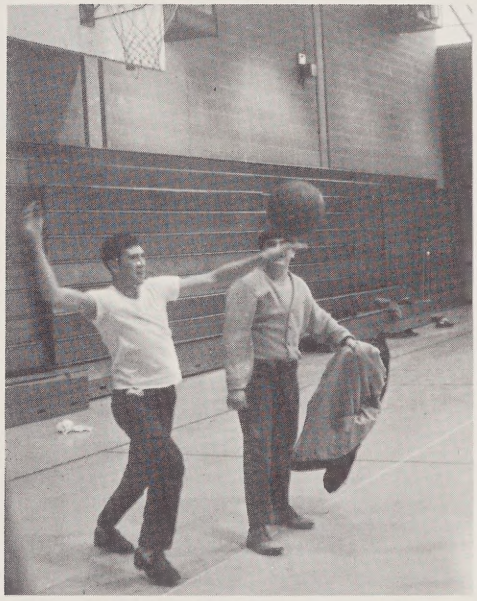
Titans do their own thing

Say "West is Best" and I'll let you go.

If I see another pea or corn can, I'll throw it at the nearest cheerleader.



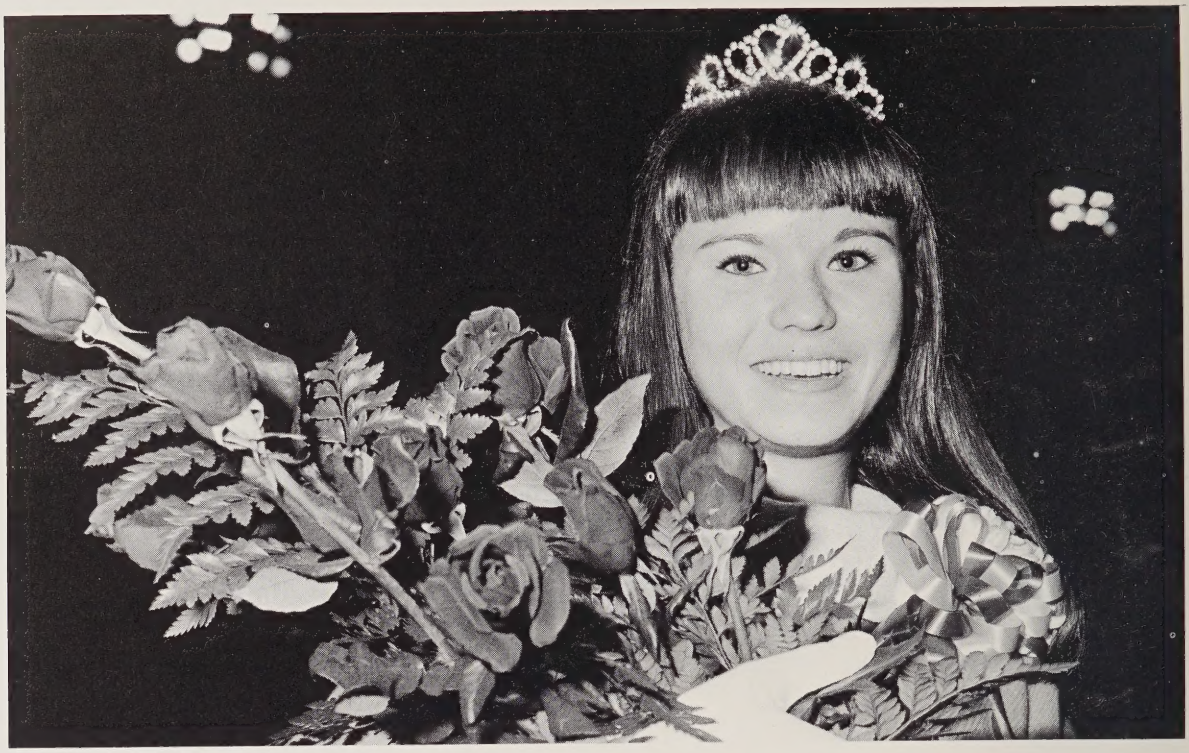
Believe it or not, sophomores can read.



Eat your heart out, Meadowlark Lemon.

Here-e-e-e-e-e's Chris!

Queen Debbie Day



Miss Debbie Day—1968 Homecoming Queen

Roses

Crown

Applause

Congratulations

Climaxing half-time ceremonies of the West-Northeast Guilford football game was the coronation of Debbie Day as 1968 Homecoming Queen. Debbie was crowned by Judy Fowler, 1967 queen.

Varsity football players selected eighteen girls as members of the Homecoming Court. The student body then elected the queen, Debbie Day.

After the game which West won 31-0, the new queen and her court were guests at the homecoming dance.

All homecoming festivities were under the auspices of the Student Council. Jan Postove and Mary Etchison were co-chairmen for the social committee which planned the events for the fifth homecoming celebration.

reigns over West's fifth Homecoming

Pausing a moment before halftime ceremonies is the 1968 Homecoming Court. **FRONT:** Jill Miller, Sue Barnes, Carlotta Becker, Mary Etchison, Tommie Moffitt, Trimella Wooten, Debbie Sheets, Melle Lee Stimpson. **CENTER:** Debbie Day, Debbie Thomas, Veda Miller, Jean Price, Pam Simmons, Becky Gobble, Debbie Brissenden. **BACK:** Marsha Clarke, Beth Alspaugh, Nancy Vest.

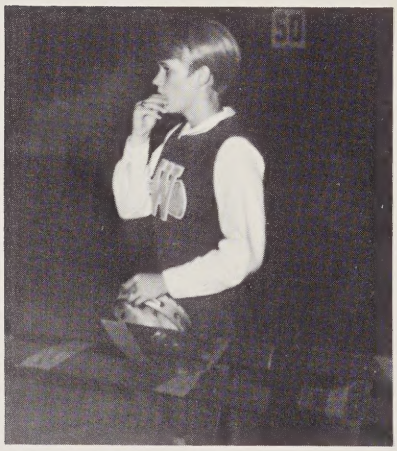
Francis Powell (left) was master of ceremonies for the halftime and the dance.

Pounding out the sounds of soul, The Turks (upper right) provide the music for the stepping out of the dancers (lower right) after the homecoming game.

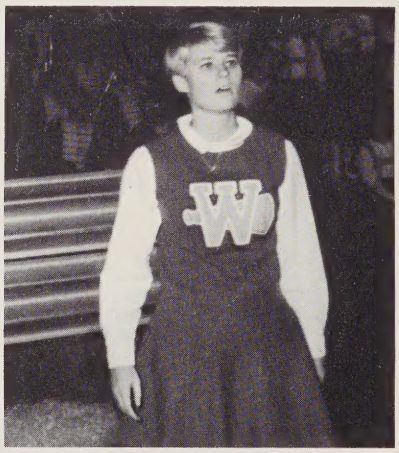
Students choose Jean as Cupid's sweetheart

Snow broke up the Valentine Dance, but not before couples started enjoying the music, food, and decorations and not before Jean Price became West's 1969 Valentine Queen. Neville Chaney sponsored Jean on the Valentine Court.

Miss Jean Price—1969 Valentine Queen



The huddle breaks . . .



The ball is in the air . . .

Oh no-o-o—the wrong team catches it.

Susan Pratt
Mary Wackerhagen
Vicki Hauser

Sponsored by the Y-Teens, the dance had the theme of "Hearts and Flowers." The gym overflowed with huge hearts made with red and white carnations.

Debbie Rice, Y-Teen president, coordinated all aspects of the dance.

Cynthia Stephens
Ginger Porter
Kathy Ebert

Debbie Brissenden
Jill Miller
Donna Haynes

Snow Queen Becky Gobble receives royal roses from last year's queen, Kathy Williams.

Becky Gobble is Snow Queen

"Christmas Around the World", featuring windmills, pagodas, Mexican hats, and a decorated tree, was the theme of the Christmas Prom. Music by The Superiors, refreshments, and the appearance of Santa Claus added to the festive spirit of the season.

The coronation of West's second Snow Queen, Becky Gobble, highlighted the dance.

Skipping a dance number to pose for the photographer are the new queen and her court. Cam Kirk, Carlotta Becker, Janet Sloan, Veda Miller, Queen Becky Gobble, Penny Minick, Vicki McNeill, Ellie Allcorn, Pam Richards.

Candlelight, soft music, and slow dancing helped people to forget the lack of heat in the gym.

There is a Santa! The Social Committee lured the reindeer into making a stop at West to visit the Christmas Prom. And Santa found a gift for the new queen in his bag. Yes! It is the crown for Queen Becky.

J.V. Cheerleaders yell like veterans

West's seven, vivacious junior varsity cheerleaders spent a vigorous year, filled with games, pep rallies and hard work.

During the summer, the spirit boosters sold doughnuts and candy to fill the treasury for pompoms and new uniforms. They also helped with the car count at a local shopping center. The Green-Gold football game was their first official role as Titan cheerleaders.

Football season was busy with cheering for j.v. afternoon games and selling programs at the night varsity games. Sporting new gold uniforms and letters for basketball season, the j.v.'s brought life to the stands and bounce to the court with their liveliness and pep.

Mrs. Ann Ferrell is sponsor of the sophomore yell-squad.

Standing in for the varsity cheerleaders at Homecoming, j.v.'s Marty Ayers and Carolyn Stanley yell encouragement to the varsity Titans.

Leading a chant during a "break" pep rally, the j.v.'s help to arouse spirit on game day.

Adding just a dash of femininity to junior varsity sports are the junior varsity cheerleaders. Beth Mitchell, Beth Alspaugh, co-chief; Penny Minick, Marsha Clarke, chief; Marty Ayers, Nancy Vest, Carolyn Stanley.

Here comes West! Cheerleaders lead out the Titans before the West-Reynolds football game. With bouncy spirit and never-lagging enthusiasm, the girls boosted the Titans, but not the score: Reynolds 48, West 0.

Happiness is having a Spirit Yardstick! Ginny Iobst grins happily as Chief Trimella Wooten presents this symbol to Mr. Simpson during an assembly.

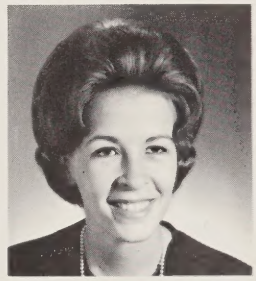
State Champion Cheerleaders

Cheerleading camps, summer practices, traffic counts, pep rallies, games—all these projects and enjoyable work paid off for West's varsity cheerleaders when they won the title of STATE 4-A Champion Cheerleaders on December 17. Competing against squads from all over the state of North Carolina, the spirit-girls cheered, jumped and smiled the best they could. And the judges in Fayetteville found out what Titans have known all the time: THEY ARE NUMBER ONE!

Before school started, Trimella Wooten and Debbie Day attended a summer cheerleading clinic at St. Andrews College. They returned with a first place trophy and a Spirit Stick. And then practice for all the girls began—yells, chants and pep songs.

During football, basketball and baseball seasons, the girls sponsored dances, involved the students in original, rousing pep rallies, and boosted school spirit with a lively Spirit Week.

Sophomores! Juniors! Seniors! Classes vigorously respond to this yell and formation of West's varsity cheerleaders. Jill Miller, Co-chief Debbie Day, Becky Gobble, Ginny Iobst, Chief Trimella Wooten, Tommie Moffitt, Debbie Brissenden, Jean Price, Veda Miller.



Mrs. Ann Ferrell has just as much enthusiasm and energy as the cheerleaders whom she advises and gives constructive encouragement.

West is best! Jill Miller, Becky Gobble, Ginny Iobst and Tommie Moffitt end the cheer with the joy jump.

The trophy proves it, West cheerleaders are NUMBER ONE. Debbie Day and Trimella Wooten, co-chief and chief, proudly show the award won by the cheering squad. Tommie, Becky, Jean, Jill, Debbie, Veda and Ginny display some winning assets—poise, grooming, charm and cheerfulness.

Students deliver graduation speeches

After many long months of hoping for something that seemed as if it would never come, graduation finally became a reality for the class of 1968.

White robes, wide smiles, jaunty steps, and beaming parents characterized the ceremony held in the gym.

Graduation speakers were Mr. James Anderson, Larry Jones, Ken Gabard, Steve Black and Larry Elworth.

Clutching hard-earned diplomas, new West graduates file out of the gym as proud parents watch.

Ken Gabard shakes hands with Mr. Frank Reynolds who presented the Civitan Award to Ken during the graduation exercises.

The beginning of the final march for West's Class of 1968.

For the first time in West's history, all the teachers donned their academic gowns and participated in the commencement affair.

Competitions

Confetti-sprinkled hair, thundering applause, cheering voices, and breathless moments are sights and sounds of West's sporting events.

All of the week's preparations, plays, and team strategy are laid on the line and tested by the hardest judges and opponents.

The teams agonize many hours in practices and drills, only to feel some queasiness before the starting whistle.

In cross country, track, baseball, basketball, and football, the Titans run, and more often than not, it's a run to victory. The wrestlers never run, but who can say that running does not enter the mind of the opponents? Whether hustling down the hardwood, dodging linebackers, or turning on that last burst of speed, the pressure is there. A mistake in timing or movements can mean the difference between an unhappy ride home or a happy celebration.

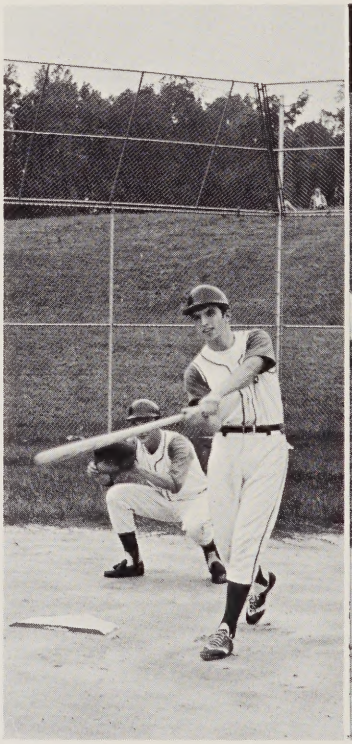
Titans have had their share of both victories and defeats. But the Titans always run into a battle, never away from it. After a game, the mark is made and posted in the books. The mark has been made, never to be erased. No matter what the final score, Titans can proudly say, "We may lose a game, but we will never be defeated!"

West takes championship by lashing

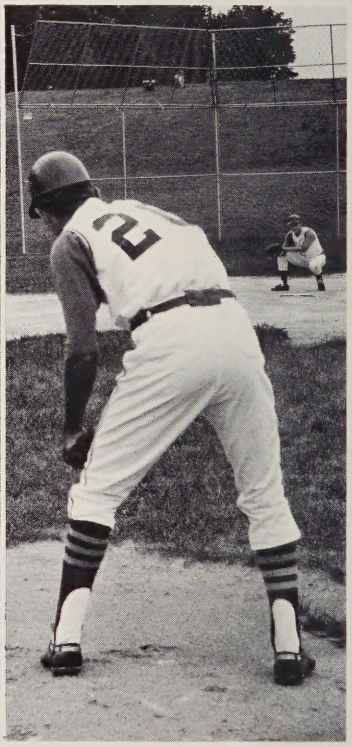
Hard practices and determination gave West's baseball team the coveted title of County Champions. Every player contributed to the drive for the title. **Front:** Billy Sprinkle, Steve Carter, Sid Teague, Jack Stallings, Jack Snow, Roger Taylor, Mike Sowers, Danny Atkins. **Back:** Mr. Ken Harper, coach; Neville Chaney, Tom Combs, Keith Lawson, Robert Fulton, Jimmy Hunt, John Harrington, Tim Gurganus, Jerry Howell, Mr. Marcus Allred, coach.

Checking gloves and discussing game plans are some responsibilities of co-captains Mike Sowers and Keith Lawson. Sowers is third baseman; Lawson is West's man behind the plate.

West fans can depend on a score when Tim Gurganus steps to the plate. Gurganus is pitcher and right fielder for the Titans.



Perfect game! Neville Chaney pitched a no-hitter against Children's Home in tournament play.

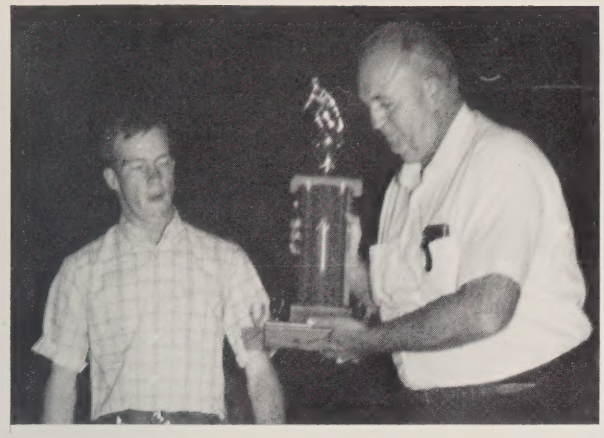


North, 7-5

West	Opponent		West	Opponent	
10	Mt. Tabor	9	11	E. Forsyth	3
1	High Point	4	10	Parkland	4
11	Grimsley	8	5	Atkins	9
0	Grimsley	2	0	Reynolds	6
8	Surry	1	10	N. Forsyth	6
9	High Point	7	4	E. Forsyth	0
2	Atkins	1	6	Parkland	2
1	Reynolds	15	3	Mt. Tabor	2
4	N. Forsyth	2	2	High Point	3

Tournament

West	Opponent	
11	Mt. Tabor	6
2	Children's Home	0
7	N. Forsyth	5



Another addition to the trophy case is the County Baseball Championship trophy. Mr. Simpson accepts the trophy on behalf of the school from co-captain Mike Sowers.

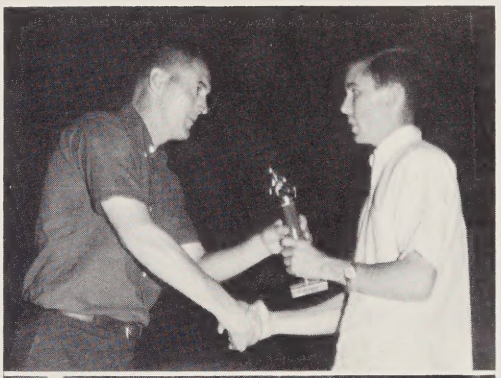
It's a sure out when third baseman Mike Sowers fields the ball. Left fielder Tom Combs backs up Sowers on a hit down third base line.

After a perfect game and first place in regular season play, the only place to go is up. And West's diamondmen did just that. By turning back North, 7-5, West took the title of Forsyth County Baseball Champions.

The first game in tournament play was against Mt. Tabor. Tim Gurganus pitched West to a 11-6 win. Neville Chaney threw a no-hitter against Children's Home (2-0), thus advancing West to the final game with North. It was a battle against pitchers, but Chaney showed true Titan determination by pulling the team through with a 2-hit victory over North.

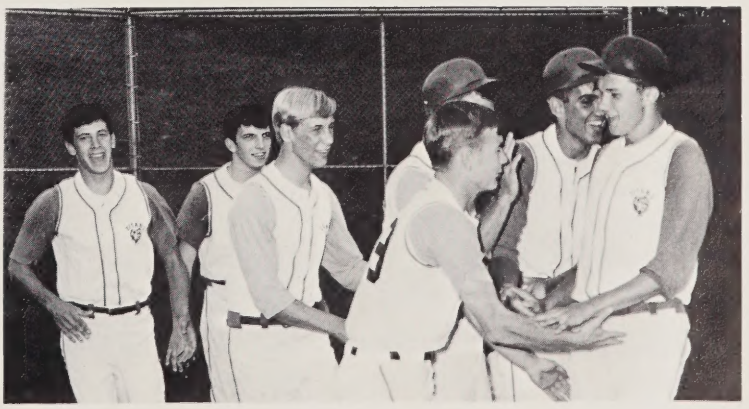
During the regular 18-game season, Sid Teague was leading hitter; Chaney and Howell were leading pitchers. Robert Fulton led in homeruns with three. Steve Carter helped with pitching duties, and Roger Taylor took over when catcher Keith Lawson needed a rest.

They aimed. They hit.



Best Sport! Second bagman Sid Teague gets a trophy and a handshake from Coach Allred.

Voted by the team as the Most Valuable Player, pitcher Jerry Howell receives his award from Coach Allred.



Here comes the winning run! Lawson is congratulated by teammates for slugging a homerun that sewed up the game for West.

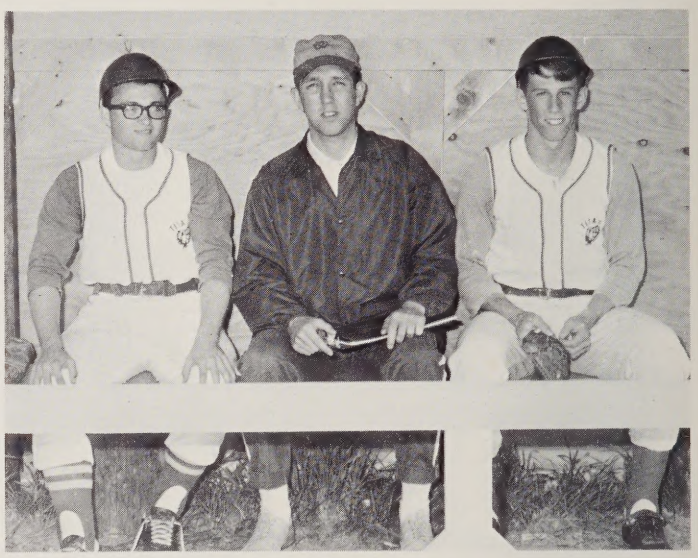
It's 8 wins and 8 losses for Baby Titans

With three boys batting over .300, one throwing 35 strikes, and one stealing 23 bases, it's no wonder the j.v. baseball team had such a good '68 season. Dean Phillips had a batting average of .400 during the 16-game schedule. John Swajkoski had a .398 average and Mike Vogler, a .300. Pitcher Stanley Brown (4-2) threw 35 balls right over the plate—balls the umpires called strikes. Small and swift and sneaky, Swajkoski slipped by 23 basemen and drew groans from opponents whenever he got on base.

West	Opponent	
7	Mt. Tabor	12
1	High Point	13
3	Grimsley	2
4	Grimsley	2
6	High Point	3
15	Atkins	0
4	Reynolds	7
1	East	6

West	Opponent	
3	Parkland	4
0	North	3
8	Atkins	2
5	Reynolds	2
9	North	12
0	East	5
4	Parkland	2
6	Mt. Tabor	5

Discussing team strategy before game time, John Swajkoski, co-captain; Charles Miller, coach; and Steve Jones, co-captain, decide on the starting line-up and batting order.



Experiencing the world of high school baseball, the junior varsity gains the techniques needed to win. **Front:** Toby Hardister, Joe Horger, Jack Fowles, Rickey Bell, Dean Phillips, Mike Swaim, Ronnie Campbell, Wayne Allgood, Mr. Charles Miller, coach. **Center:** Steve Jarvis, Stanley Brown, Otis Smith, John Swajkoski, Mike Leamon, Steve Jones, Mike Vogler, Harold Smith. **Back:** Terry Kyle, Allen Mackie, Sonny Williams, Gene Howard.

Cindermen set new school records

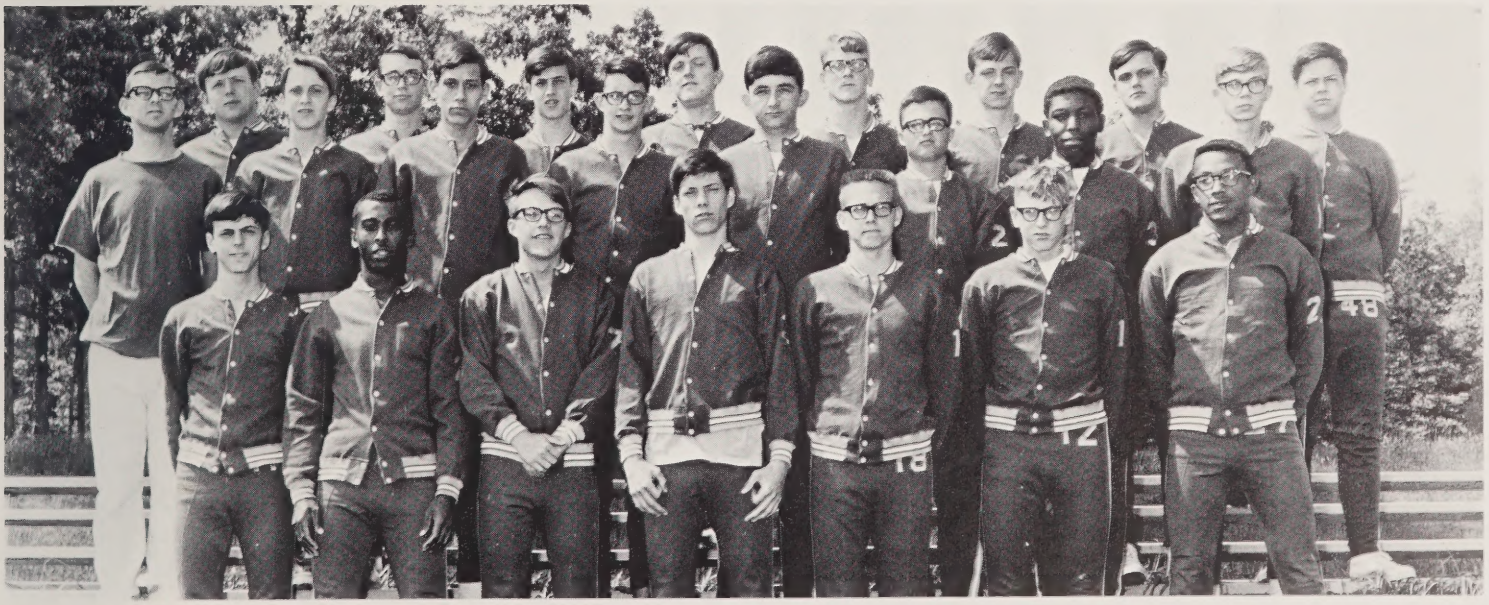
Jump, Roland, Rump! Moving smoothly down the track is Roland Douthit, team's Best Sport Award winner.

New records in the broad jump and 880 relay were made last spring by West's track team. David Hawkins, broad jumper, set a record distance of 20 feet, 8 1/2 inches. Hawkins also placed second in the sectionals meet and fourth in the state meet. The 880-relay team of Hawkins, Francis Powell, John Swajkoski, and Buddy Bolick ran the course in 1:32:6.

While winning only one dual meet, the team placed many men in top positions. Larry Peak, polevault; Jim Gould, mile and Roland Douthit, high jump, helped the cindermen gather points.

Moving at the sound of the gun, West's Jim Gould (17) and Franz Shoaf (26) race ahead in the mile run.

UP, UP and AWAY! Larry Peak sails over the bar and hopes to land in soft sawdust. Peak was West's only polevaulter.



Dashing a mile, vaulting seven feet, and jumping hurdles, West's trackmen finished the '68 season in good standing. **Front:** Mike Nifong, David Hawkins, Buddy Bolick, Francis Powell, Terry Dull, Keith Bracknell, Roland Douthit. **Center:** Mr. Steve Middleton, coach; Dale Windsor, Franz Shoaf, Paul Carter, Larry Peak, John Swajkoski, W.H. Hawkins, Jim Gould. **Back:** Jeff Seaton, Steve Sheek, Olen Stokes, Tom McKay, Davis Webster, Monte Plott, Richard Robertson, Neal Snyder.

Girls continue to place first in athletics

Female athletes at West have always posted good records and last spring's volleyball and softball teams are no exception.

Playing 17 matches, the volleyers won all of the contests. Russell (29 pts.), Parks (33), Williams (33), Coffey (32), Matthews (28), Huffstetler (26), and Moffitt (14) made most of West's points. Parks was most valuable player, and best sport was Huffstetler.

In softball, the sluggers hit a phenomenal 53 runs against North in the season's opener. Dropping only one game (to Parkland), the team left a mark of 6 wins and 1 loss. Matthews was most valuable player, and Thomas received the award for best sport.

"Remember—hit the ball, don't carry it." West's volleyball team did remember and scored 225 points during the season. **Front:** Sandra Mock, Donna Black, Lydia Stewart, Mary Alice Thomas, Karen Keyser, Donna Hauser, JoAnn Disher, Mitzi Griffin, Miss Frances Cook, coach. **Center:** Susan Culler, Donna Everhart, Phyllis Dinkins, Debbie Wise, Dolly Wendt, Tommie Moffitt, Mary Ann Wishon, Karen Huffstelter, Dean Collins. **Back:** Becky Williams, Loretta Tucker, Pam Davis, Debbie Bryant, Karen Parks, Vicky Matthews, Alice Coffey, Carrie Russell, Florence Spease.

Swinging bats, scooping up hits, and learning to pitch, West's softball team enters the world of men's sports. **First row:** Lydia Stewart, Karen Keyser, Susan Culler. **Second row:** Miss Frances Cook, coach; Cathy Conrad, Karen Parks, Donna Hauser, Florence Spease, Jill Miller, Mitzi Griffin, Carolyn Langhurst. **Third row:** Donna Everhart, Debbie Bryant, Vicky Matthews, Donna Black, Karen Huffstetler, Becky Williams, Carrie Russell. **Fourth row:** Debbie Wise, Phyllis Dinkins, Loretta Tucker, Sharon Johnson, Alice Coffey, Pam Davis, Mary Alice Thomas, JoAnn Disher.

West	Opponent	
53	N. Forsyth	4
17	Reynolds	3
29	Paisley	2
27	N. Forsyth	13
19	Reynolds	4
18	Paisley	1
13	Parkland	17

'68 speedball wins first place trophy

They scrimmage against each other in practice, but on the field, they work together to be number 1. **First row:** Alice Coffey, co-captain; Miss Norma Harbin, coach; Becky Williams, co-captain. **Second row:** Nancy Doherty, Karen Keyser, Loretha Hudson, Donna Hauser, Susan Culler, Diane Stockert, Becky Thomas. **Third row:** JoAnn Disher, Debbie Wise, Phyllis Dinkins, Florence Spease, Tonyia Minnish, Marjorie Nash, Gail Stewart, Betsy Cook, Donna West. **Fourth row;** Loretta Tucker, Ellie Allcorn, Kathy Ladd, Paula Beauchamp, Donna Everhart, Debbie Bryant, Mitzi Griffin.

Titans score again! Jo Ann Disher is congratulated after adding two points to the West score against Atkins.

By defeating Parkland, October 17, West became speedball champs of 1968. The runners scored 95 points while holding their opponents to 33 points.

Becky Williams was high scorer with 33 points, followed by Alice Coffey with 30 and Karen Keyser with 17.

West	Opponent	
10	North Forsyth	8
28	Atkins	2
26	Reynolds	22
11	Parkland	1
20	East Forsyth	0

Gridiron men post 4-6 season

Knocks and bruises; long, grueling practices and blackboard plays make up a strong, stubborn Titan team. **Front;** Jim Monson, Richard Robertson, Neville Chaney, John Swajkoski, W.H. Hawkins. **Center:** Jack Becker, Jack Boyle, Mike Leamon, Tom Combs, Ken Slate, Don Patten. **Back:** Mike Swaim, Jim Hunt, Lindsay Miller, Ronnie Cohn, Jeff Minick, Mike Nichols, Terry Kyle, Bert Whitener, Billy Waters, Steve Jarvis, Steve Jones, Mark Webster.

West's Vic Swaim (40) goes down under a rush of Atkins players. Fulton (85) and Flynt (83) made room for Swaim to run the ball.

Six Points! This mass confusion resulted in a Titan score against Forbush. Helping to push over the score are Fulton (85), Spainhour, (42), Seaton (65), Swaim (40), and Boyle (34).

Defensive squad deserves credit for wins

"Make way for the mighty, mighty Titans!" Running out before a cheering crowd, West moves onto the field after pre-game warm-up. Minick (32), M. Swaim (13), Leamon (56), Corey (78), Boyle (34), V. Swaim (40), and Jones (66).

West	Opponent	
39	Morehead	19
7	Parkland	35
0	Reynolds	48
7	Mt. Airy	41
7	Atkins	13
27	Forbush	0
31	Northeast Guilford	0
7	Mt. Tabor	6
14	North Forsyth	20
28	East Forsyth	34

"Grab that man!" Webster (80), Swajkoski, and Fulton (85) surround an Atkins man after he knocked down a Chaney to Fulton pass.

Running, blocking, and giving all they have in a contest of strength against strength, West's men of the gridiron struggle hard for the taste of victory. **Front:** Ric Wagner, Buddy Bolick, Greg Shaw, Rickey Bell, Otis Smith, Vic Swaim. **Back:** Dickie Spainhour, Jim Southern, Jeff Seaton, Tom McKay, Mike Vogler, Dave Konkler, Bob Corey, Mike Carleton, Mike Kidd, Charlie Griggs, Don Jones, Davis Webster.

Only three games

West rolled over Morehead in the season's opener, 39-19. Steve Jones, John Swajkoski, Jack Snow, and Robert Fulton scored for the Titans; Neville Chaney scored twice. Soccer-styled kicker Ric Wagner booted three extra points.

Battling a strong Parkland team, the Titans did not give up until the final whistle. Fulton scored West's single touchdown on a 54-yard pass from Chaney. Final score: 35-7.

Pitted against the defending champs of the 4-A, West could not move the ball to paydirt. Reynolds stunned West, 48-0.

Holding a 1-2 record, West traveled to Mt. Airy, determined to break a losing streak. Jim Hunt picked up six points on a pass from Chaney. But the Bears managed to hold West to a single score. West dropped the game, 41-7.

Picked as the definite underdog, West held Atkins to a one-touchdown victory. Chaney scored late in the fourth quarter to put West on the board. Titan defense made several goal-line stands. Final score: 13-7.

Titans got on the winning side once more at Forbush. The Falcons fell, 27-0, to a fired-up Titan team. Chaney, Swajkoski, and Dickie Spainhour picked up six points each for West. Steve Jarvis, a defense man, scooped up a Forbush fumble and rambled 61 yards for West's final score.

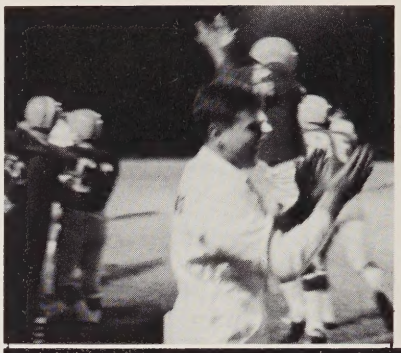
Two touchdowns by Fulton and one each by Swajkoski and Vic Swaim moved West to a Homecoming victory over Northeast Guilford, 31-0. Wagner kicked four extra points and a field goal.

Rain dampened the field and uniforms, but not the spirit of the Titans when they met Mt. Tabor, October 18. Swajkoski snagged a pass from Chaney and Wagner added the winning point. The Spartans scored, but missed the point after. West won its third game in a row, 7-6.

Riding high on a three-game winning streak, West skirmished with North Forsyth, October 24. The fired-up Vikings were determined to win their Homecoming game—and they did, 20-14. West's stubborn defense worked hard, but the North offense managed to sneak in the winning score.

Scoring 21 points in a fourth quarter rally, West struggled to outscore the 34 points held by East Forsyth. Chaney, Fulton, and Swajkoski scored touchdowns and Wagner added the extra points. But the breath-taking rally failed to produce a West victory. East triumphed, 34-28.

All of West's victories did not end with the final game. Chaney, Griggs, and Fulton were voted to the All City-County Team. Swajkoski and Swaim received honorable mention. During the season, the Titan team twice received team-of-the-week honors. Chaney was runner-up for the Thom McAnn award.

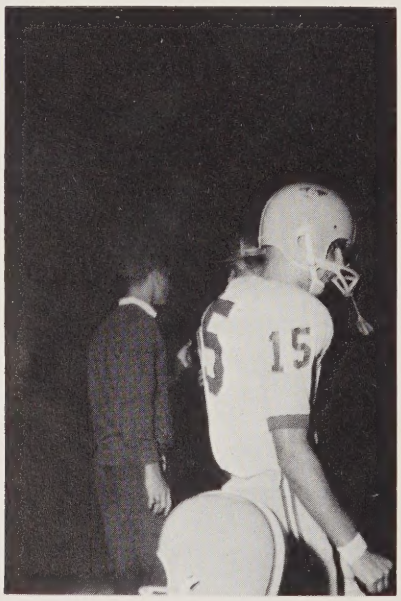


Manager David Cook claps his praise of a Titan score.

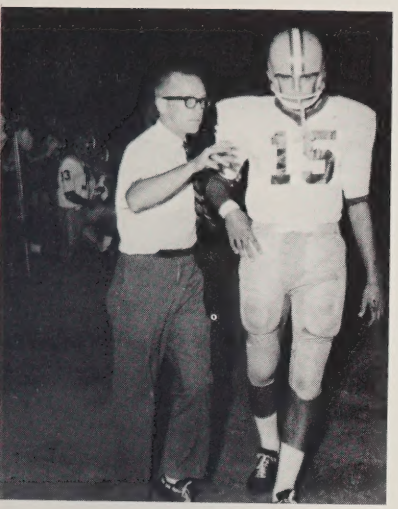
Halftime is for relaxation for spectators, but for Tom Evans, manager, and Ricky Grant, trainer, halftime is for refilling water bottles and straightening equipment kits.

Swajkoski heads for the sidelines after picking up a significant gain against Mt. Airy.

Co-captain and quarterback Neville Chaney heads for the bench to rest his arm while the defense takes over the game.



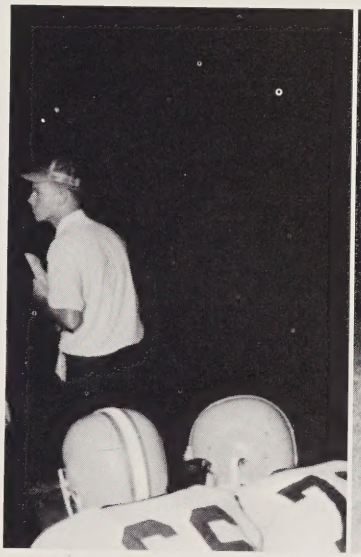
on homefield keep Titans on the road



Head Coach Ken Harper is so totally involved in the game that he mentally plays the position of every player on every play.

Telling students of an anticipated victory, Mr. Fred Gragg, assistant coach, encourages all to support the Titans.

Concentrating on activities on the field, Mr. Bryon Lawson, assistant coach, exerts as much energy on the sidelines as the players do on the field.



Mr. Ralph Royster assistant coach, roars instructions to the line and illustrates his orders.

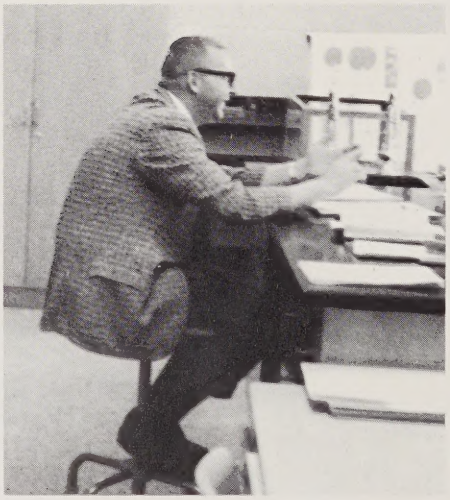
Clapping and shouting encouragement, co-captain John Swajkoski keeps the bench alive with sideline yells.

Two j.v. victories break

For the first time in West's history, a j.v. football team posted a victory. This year's team tucked two wins under their belts. Slipping by North by one point and crushing Mt. Tabor, 21-7, the Baby Titans tasted victory in their first season at West.

Playing afternoon games, the Titans struggled before enthusiastic crowds and peppy cheerleaders. Aiming for the varsity team, the j.v.'s gave strength and energy to the game.

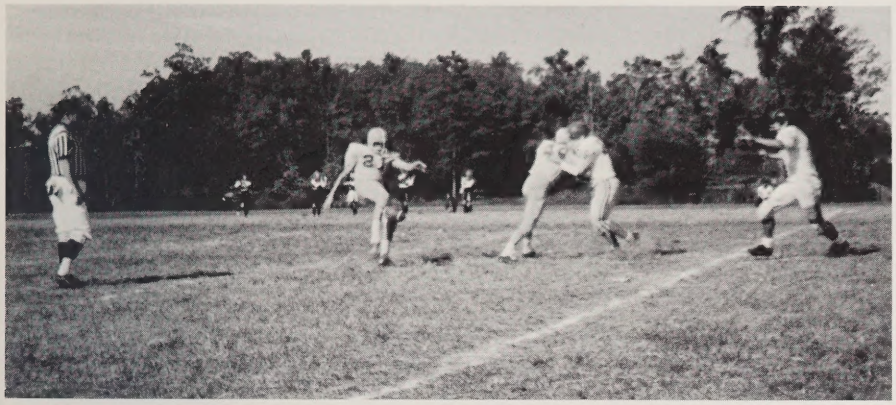
Working hard to set a better record for j.v. football, co-captains Effler and Grimes lead the team in drills, practices, and games. **First row:** Ricky Fulton, Jay Cline. **Second row:** Frank Clore, Donn Eyman, Bill Doub, Talmadge Effler, Randy Grimes, Bryon Hill, Steve Hinson, Russ Weideman, Jerry Ridgell. **Third row:** Frankie Hunter, Ric Swaim, Steve Bigsby, Mickey Williams, David Smith, Joe Hazelwood, James Warton, Ronnie Jones, Jim Coble, Mike Raisig. **Fourth row:** Danny Teague, Wayne Carter, Ronnie Scott, Bill Etheridge, Art Underwood, Jim Crandell, Alan Sowers, Jerry Blevins, Mike L. Mock, Keith Bracknell.



"Then there was . . ." Coach Fred Gragg tells of the touchdown that slipped by.

"It's an end-around sweep!" Talmadge Effler heads for daylight and maybe a Titan touchdown.

4-year losing streak

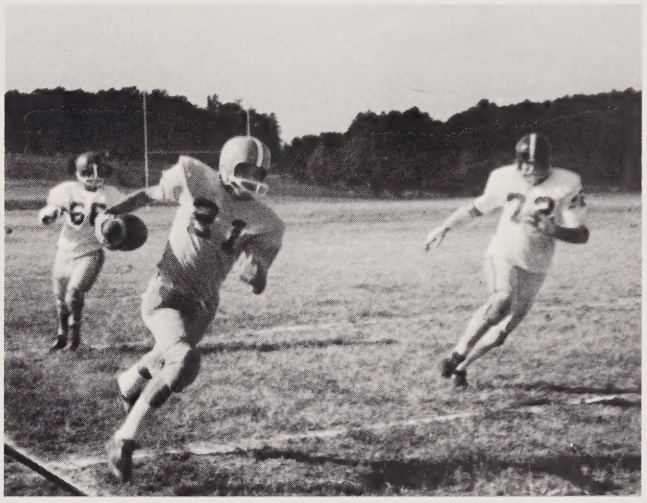


Swaim (44) holds off a Mt. Airy Bear while Cline (21) punts on fourth down.

West	Opponent	
0	Parkland	27
6	Reynolds	28
0	Atkins	19
0	Mt. Airy	28
21	Mt. Tabor	7
14	North Forsyth	13
6	East Forsyth	13

Fans of hard-hitting football watch the Titans ramble up and down the field.

"Oh, I hear those footsteps behind me!" Quarterback Cline (21) keeps the pigskin and shakes off two opponents.



Ric Swaim puts the moves on Mt. Airy defenders.

Girls again capture basketball championship

Dropping only one game, West's girls hustled all year to post 16 victories. **First row:** co-captains Becky Williams and Alice Coffey. **Second row:** Donna Hauser, Debbie Bryant, JoAnn Disher. **Third Row:** Sandra Mock, Donna Everhart, Florence Spease, Shirley Renegar, Donna Black, Loretta Tucker. **Fourth Row:** Carol Conrad, Cathy Zafoot, Marjorie Nash, Betsy Cook, Donna West, Paula Beauchamp.

Hustle is the motto of the 1968-69 girls' basketball team. Posting victories in all games except the last one, the team became Forsyth County's basketball champions.

Alice Coffey and Becky Williams led the team in shooting and guarding. Alice, high Titans-scorer, played a most outstanding game against Atkins, burning the nets with 54 points.

Because of their successful tactics on the court, the girls received team-of-the-week honors.

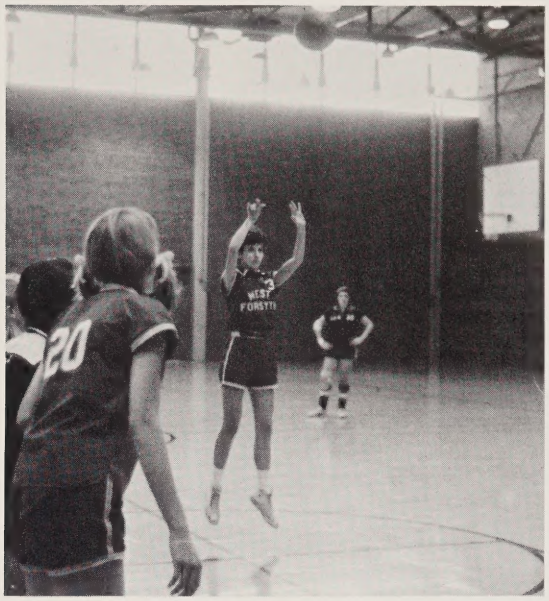
Miss Norma Jean Harbin, coach, made her girls fine shooters and aggressive defenders.

West	Opponent		West	Opponent	
35	Forbush	42	38	North Forsyth	28
38	Bishop McGuiness	24	42	Parkland	26
34	Mt. Tabor	26	46	Mt. Tabor	17
38	Reynolds	24	39	Reynolds	25
57	Atkins	22	42	North Forsyth	30
59	East Forsyth	33	34	East Forsyth	28
2	Carver (forfeit)	0	37	Forbush	35
70	Atkins	19	41	Parkland	44

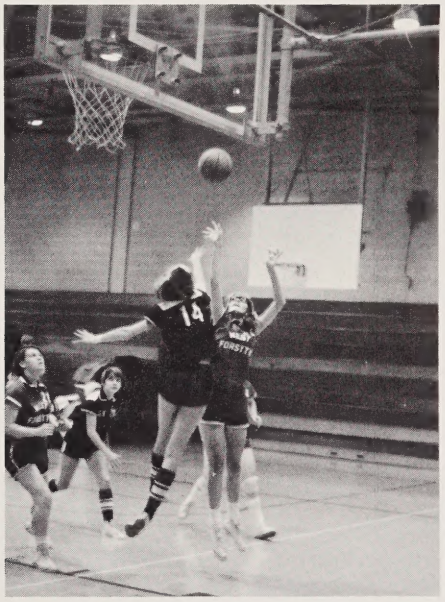
Keeping records, watching the clock, and administering aid are the duties of Gail Stewart, Susan Culler, and Tonyia Minnish.

A. Coffey scores 54 points against Atkins

Against East Forsyth, Coffey shows the way she scored 54 points against Atkins.



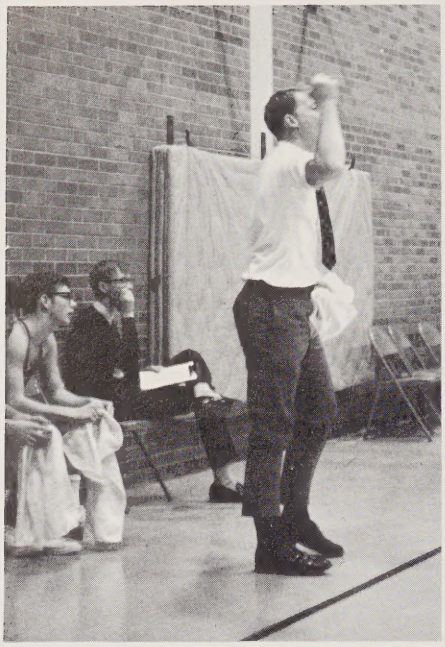
A little jump makes all the difference in a foul shot.



Amid hands and jumping bodies, Bryant attempts a basket.

Williams lets fly another two points.

J.V.'s pick up experience in posting



"That's the way, boys!" Coach Byron Lawson puts a little body English in his coaching.

The j.v. cagers experienced a tough season and one with many heartbreaks. The Titans lost several games after putting up a strong defense.

Despite the losing season, the j.v.s never despaired and fought hard during each game. They maintained high spirits and cooperated with each other during practices and games.

Philip Glenn was high scorer. Coach Byron Lawson's bench was as strong as his starting five.

Davis pushes the score a little farther out of reach against Forbush.

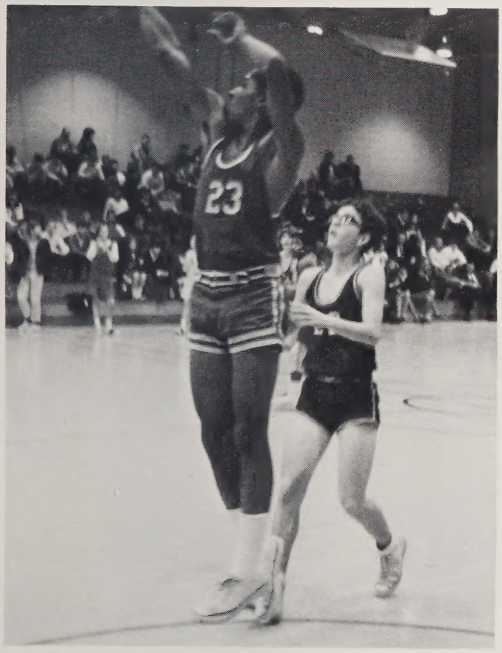
Coach Lawson announces the starting five to (sitting) Jack Boyle, Phillip Glenn, Jay Cline, Fred Flynt, Bennett Davis, Bill Hardy, Reginald Douthit. **Back;** Jerry Summers, manager; Stewart Smith, David Rodgers, Ronnie Jones, Mike Waller, Don Scales, Artie Redding, Mark Webster, Donn Eyman, scorer.

15-5 season

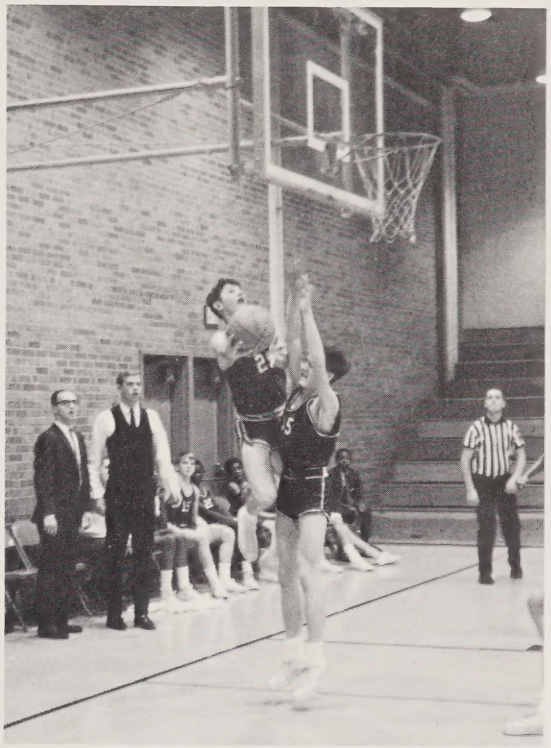
West	Opponent		West	Opponent	
47	North Surry	57	62	Atkins	81
27	Forbush	45	59	Parkland	47
44	Elkin	49	58	East	47
60	Mt. Tabor	55	52	Reynolds	55
48	North Surry	65	41	North Forsyth	61
44	Mt. Tabor	40	54	Atkins	71
43	N.E. Guilford	48	49	Parkland	64
35	N.E. Guilford	55	65	East Forsyth	45
38	Forbush	43	71	Reynolds	80
62	Elkin	73	45	North Forsyth	69

Tournament: West 39 - Parkland 54

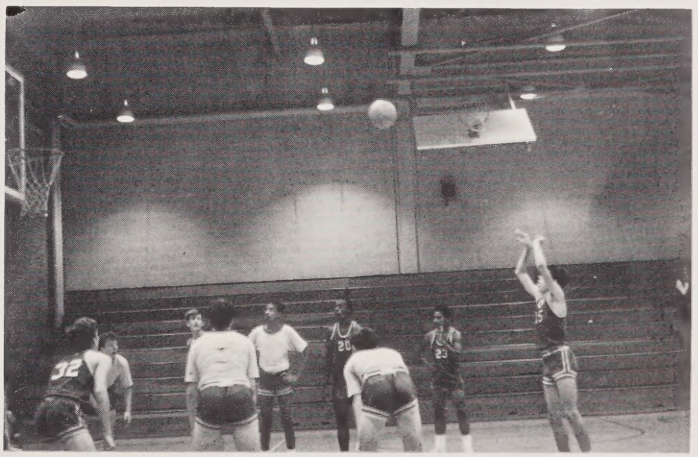
All alone on a fast break, Hardy lays in two points.



Captain Glenn stops in mid-air to push the ball through the net.



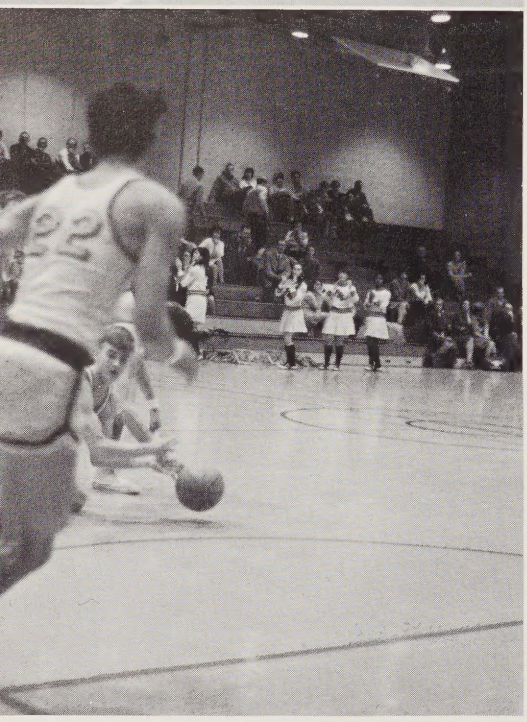
Cline comes through the back-door for two points.



In the annual Green-Gold game, cagers play for a position on the junior varsity team.

Coach Lawson exchanges pleasantries (?) with the referees.

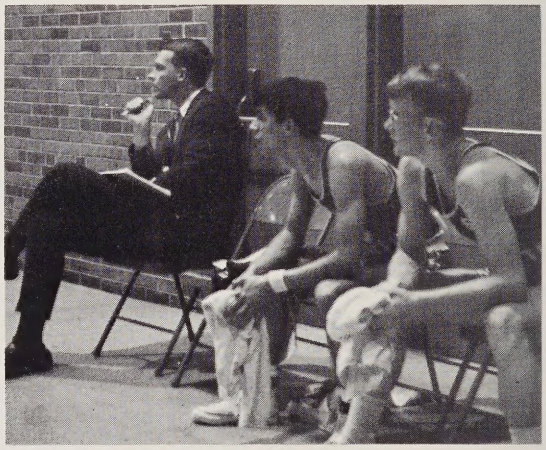
West cagers



Top: Non-contact sport?! Chaney drives for a Titan basket. **Above:** Carter goes down on all-fours to maintain possession for West.

Lawson seeks to boost the score from the charity line.

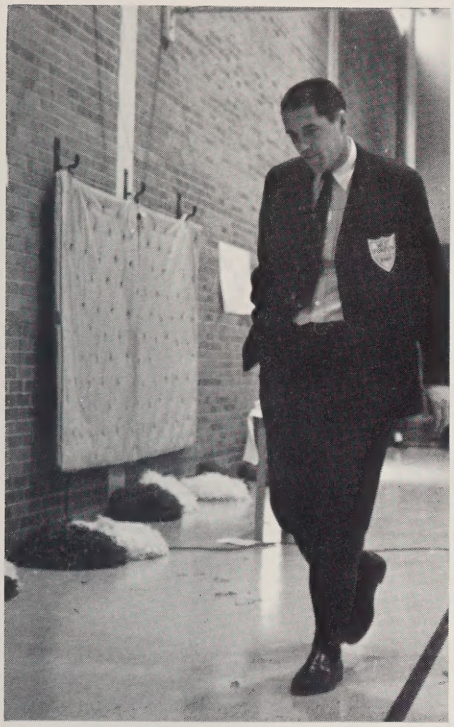
Co-captains Lawson and Gurganus review rules with the referees and the opposing team captain.



With pencil ready to mark scores, assistant coach Byron Lawson keeps an eye on the action.

January 31, 1969 will always be a date to remember at West. The gym was packed with fans; the floor held ten very determined basketball players. The score had see-sawed between the two teams for the whole game. In the last two minutes West pulled ahead and put a seven-point difference in the score. At the final whistle, pandemonium broke loose. Fans swarmed onto the floor. Coaches and players rode to the dressing room on shoulders. Girls cried; boys whistled; parents and adult fans beamed and pounded each other on the back. Friends hugged friends; enemies hugged enemies. West Forsyth had defeated its arch-rival, R.J. Reynolds, 63-70.

upset Reynolds, 70-63



Head coach Marcus Allred, pondering team stragedy and starting line-ups, returns to the bench ready for the tap-off.

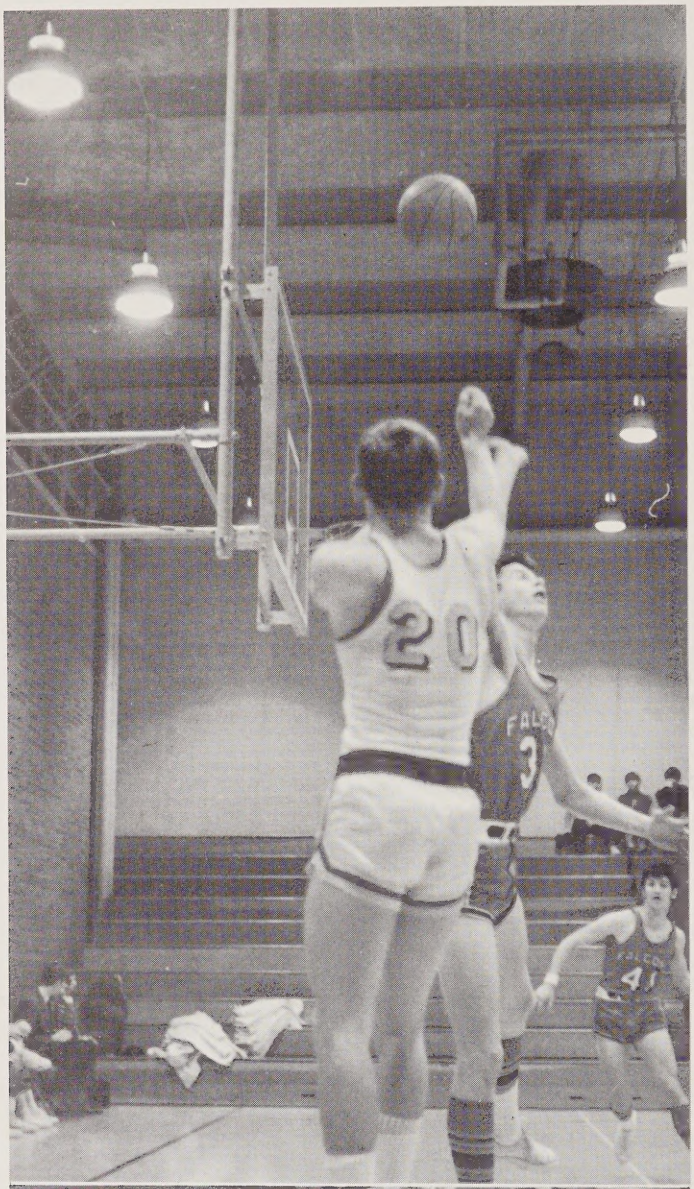
West	Opponent		West	Opponent	
61	North Surry	54	50	Atkins	91
51	Forbush	62	57	Parkland	72
65	Elkin	79	74	East Forsyth	63
83	Mt. Tabor	69	70	Reynolds	63
80	North Surry	71	74	North Forsyth	63
69	Mt. Tabor	63	78	Atkins	113
51	N.E. Guilford	47	73	Parkland	77
55	N.E. Guilford	53	53	East Forsyth	66
78	Forbush	76	66	Reynolds	92
83	Elkin	89	49	North Forsyth	85

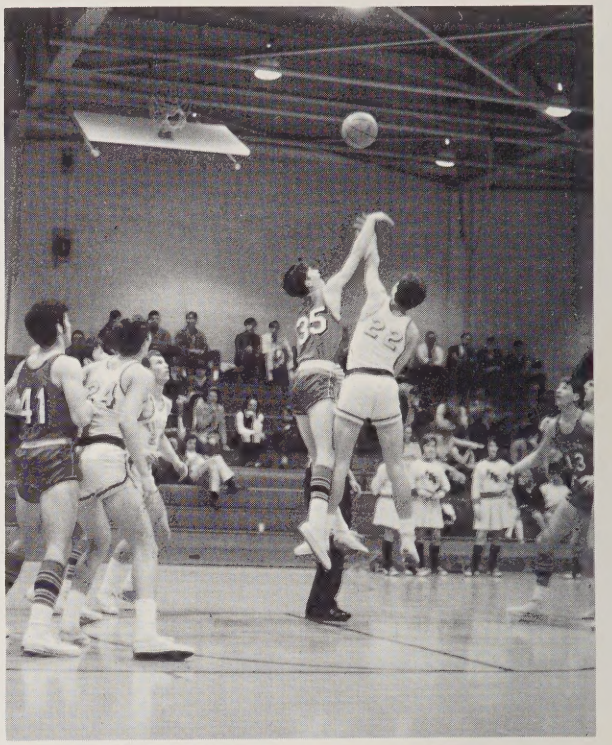
Tournament: West 55 - Parkland 64

Listening carefully to pre-game instructions from Coach Allred, West's cagers tensely await the starting whistle. **Sitting:** Robert Fulton, Steve Carter, Neville Chaney, Keith Lawson, Tim Gurganus, Jim Hunt. **Standing:** Davis Webster, Ricky Fulton, Byron Lawson, assistant coach; Ric Parker, Tom Phelps, Jack Becker, Charlie Griggs.

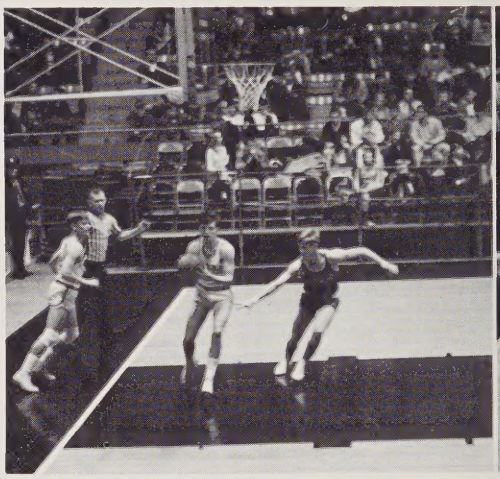
Conference play is tough; West ends

Below: Up and over! Hunt pushes in another point for the Titans. **Bottom:** Mate vs. mate—Coaches select the varsity team after the annual Green-Gold game.

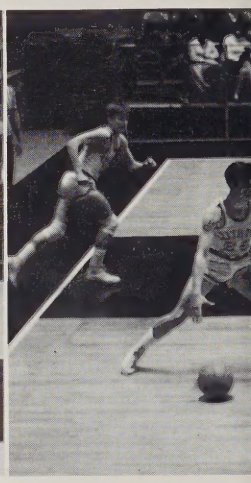




Jump, Robert, jump, Stretching to his fullest, Fulton tries to tap the ball to a Titan.



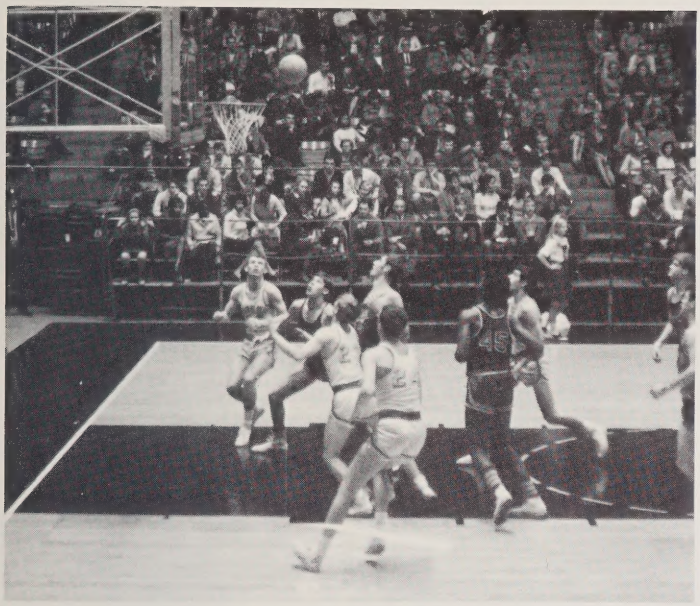
Gurganus takes the ball on inbounds play . . .



moves cautiously

season, 10-10

Ready to pounce on a rebound, Titans watch and wait.



upcourt . . . .

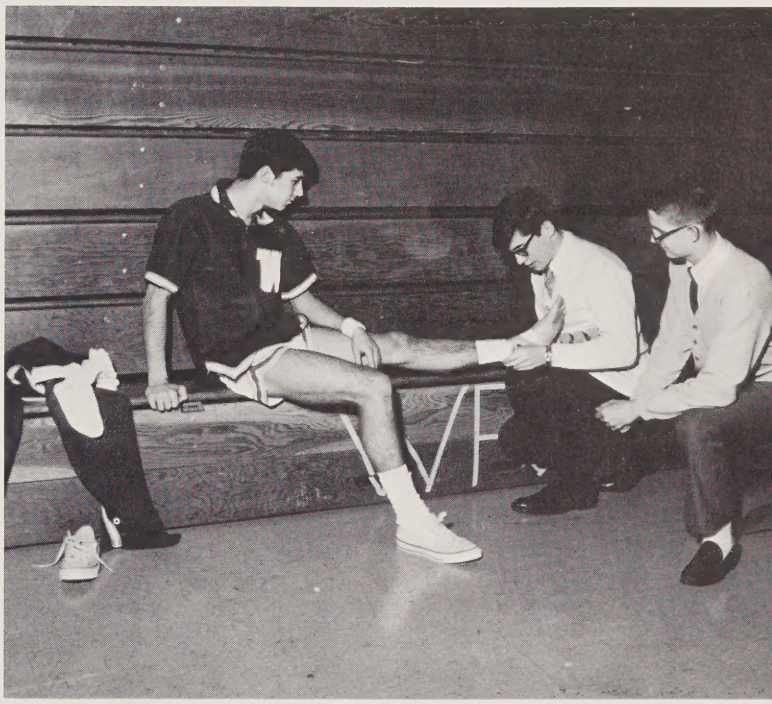
and expertly puts himself between the ball and the opposition.

Playing 20 games in three months kept West's cagers busy in practices, actual games, and travel.

Competing outside the conference in the beginning of the season, West won its first game, but dropped the next two. These losses seemed to make the team stronger. The cagers went on to post victories in the following six games.

Conference competition began in January, with two contests per week. Winston-Salem's Memorial Coliseum was the site for many of the games. Losing to Atkins and Parkland, West shook off the losses by gathering three morale-boosting wins over East Forsyth, Reynolds, and North Forsyth. The scores of the following contests did not show the determination and hard playing of the Titans. The 1968-69 basketball season ended with a tournament loss to Parkland.

Robert Fulton was high scorer with 370 points. Fulton and Gurganus, Titan playmakers, ran the fine offense. Lawson led the defensive attack. Chaney played both ways well. Carter and Hunt alternated as West's fifth man. A strong bench helped when one of the starting five ran into foul trouble.



"Be sure the sticky side is against the skin." Manager Paul Chandler shows fellow manager Jack Fowles how to tape an ankle. (Ric Parker is the player)

During the season, West received team-of-the-week honors twice. Robert Fulton received honorable mention on the Journal and Sentinel All-Northwest basketball team. Coach Allred was third in the balloting for Forsyth County's "Coach of the Year."

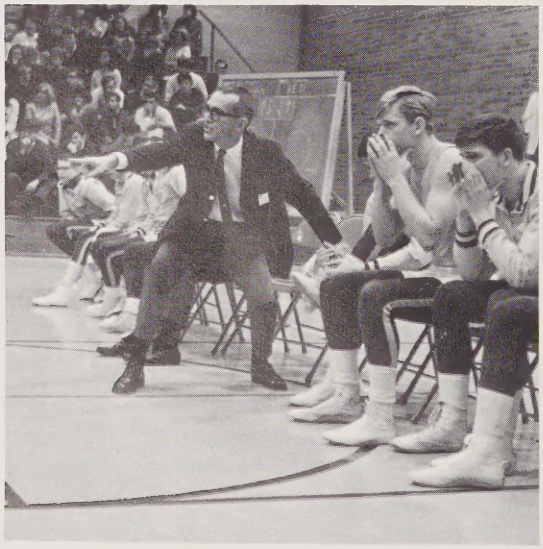
Fix and Vogler advance to state wrestling matches

The wrestling Titans of West Forsyth compiled a season record of 15 wins and 4 losses under the coaching techniques of Mr. Ken Harper and Mr. Steve Middleton. Leadership on the mat and the determination to win were the qualities of all the matmen, especially co-captains Mike Sowers and Keith Cox.

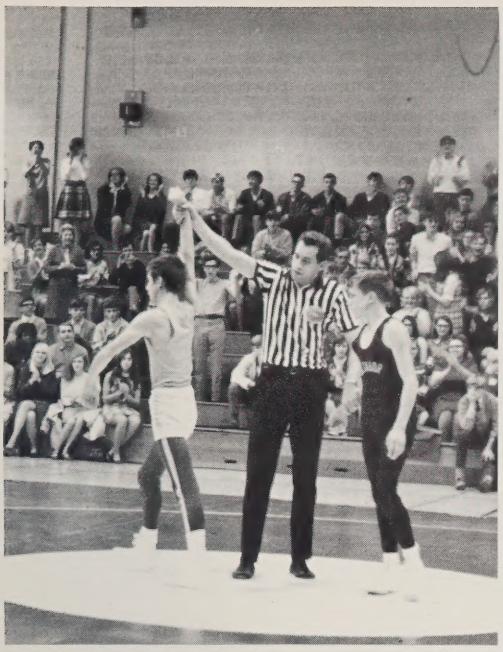
The 4-A Conference sectionals, held at R.J. Reynolds high school, determined the best wrestlers in this area. Mike Vogler and Steve Fix competed successfully and advanced to represent West at the State Championship matches at Parkland high school.

During wrestling season, weight-watching is just as important as attending practice. West's matmen watch their weight down to the ounce. **Kneeling:** Jim Crandell, Mike Sowers, Paul Spainhour, Sam Sarvis, Jim Coble, Keith Cox, Steve Fix, James Church, Clarke Tesh. **Standing:** Sam Snowden, Philip Giles, Lindsay Miller, Vic Swaim, Richard Robertson, Ronald Scott, Mike Vogler, Toby Hardister, Bobby Groseclose, Bob Corey.

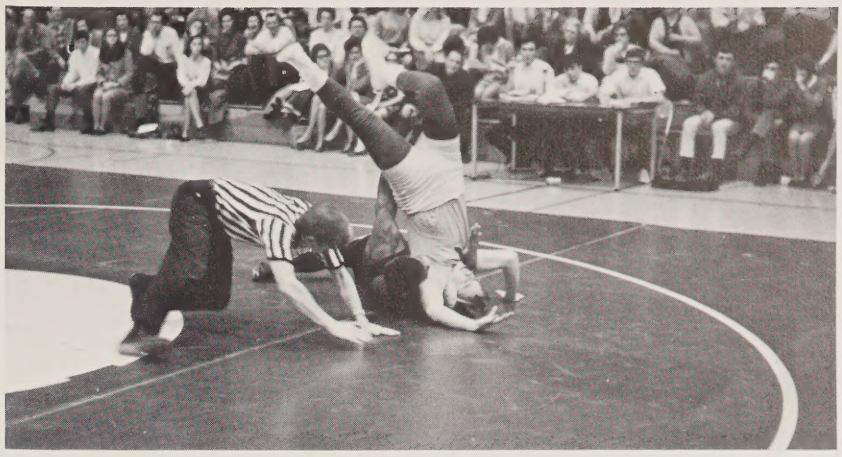
Wishing he too could be on the mat, Coach Ken Harper calmly suggests a move to make.



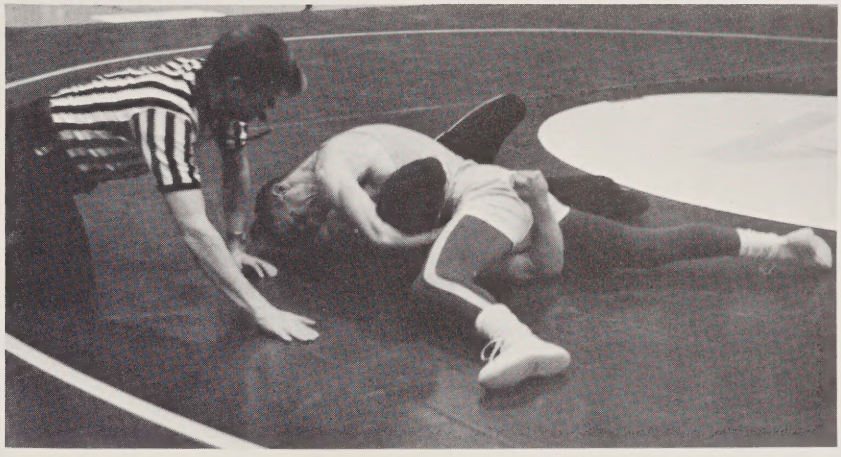
Positive thinking always helps, so assistant coach Steve Middleton (chin in hands) concentrates on the match before him.



This is a familiar sight to West fans. Fix, again, is claimed the victor.

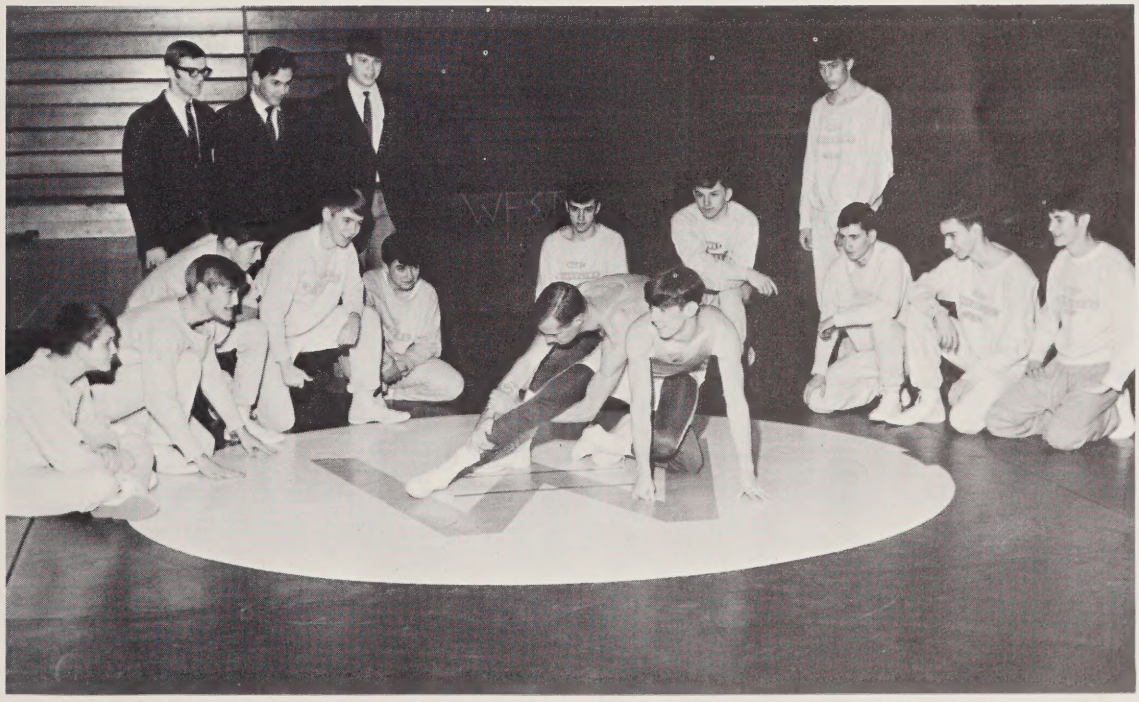


One hand-stand . . . . . coming up. Hardister finds the action a little rough.



Muscles bulging from all over, Sowers combines strength, knowledge, and experience to overcome his opponent.

West	Opponent		West	Opponent	
30	Forbush	28	23	School for the Blind	28
33	Morehead	21			
32	Mt. Tabor	18	34	Atkins	18
31	N.C. School for the Blind	18	28	Parkland	20
			35	E. Forsyth	13
26	Morehead	24	21	Reynolds	32
37	Mt. Tabor	14	28	N. Forsyth	19
32	Forbush	18	27	Atkins	22
8	Page	36	30	Parkland	27
38	N. Forsyth	9	30	E. Forsyth	26
			31	Reynolds	32



Watching co-captains Mike Sowers (top) and Keith Cox demonstrate a hold are Dana Campbell, Marshall Boyer, C.L. Gobble, Rickey Bell, Kyle Buchanan, Woody Clore, Charlie Mock, Pete Geraty, David Prudhomme, Terry Shore, Paul Nifong. Coach Steve Middleton and managers Tom Evans and John Wood stand by to give advice and aid, if needed.

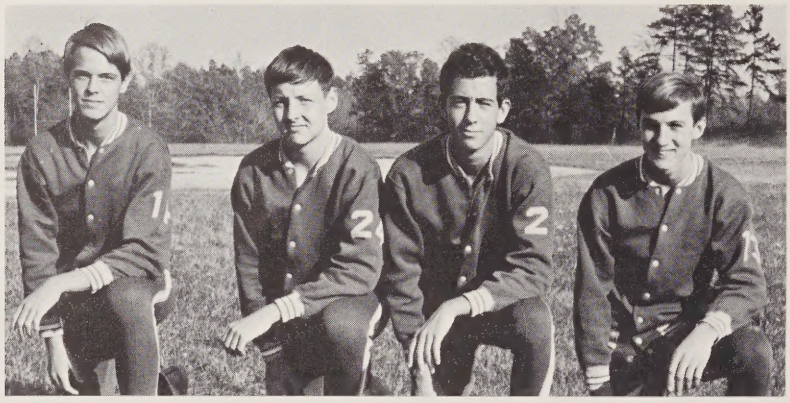
1968 Harriers run new course

Always totaling more points than Parkland, Atkins, and High Point, West's harriers piled up minutes and miles in meets.

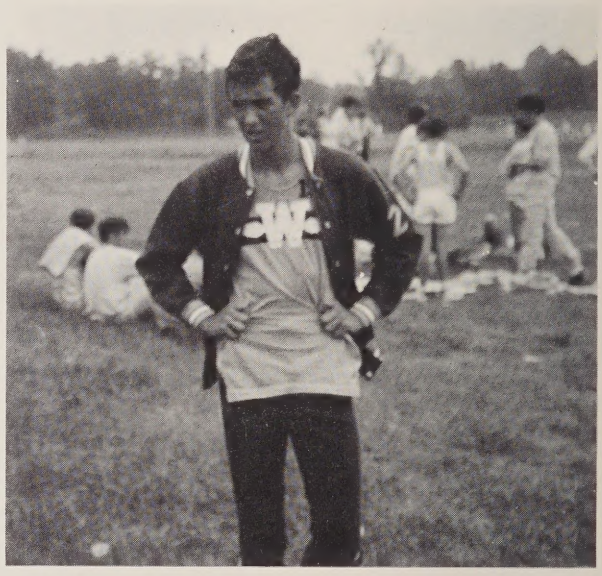
Gould was number one man of the squad with Parker number two.

After regular season, the team participated in the Wake Forest Invitation meet, the Conference meet in Greensboro, and the Sectionals meet in Charlotte.

Running mile after mile just to get in shape for cross country are Mike Nifong, Monte Plott, Ric Parker, Mike Sowers, Jim Gould.

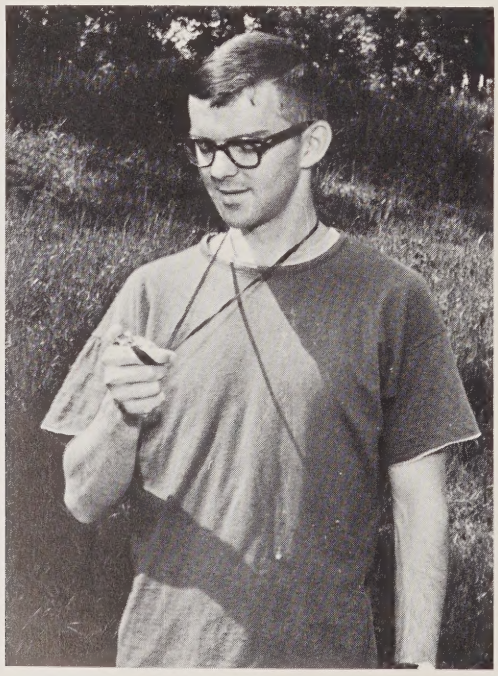


Stamina is the quality needed by runners of cross country. Fred Flynt, Jim Shubert, Eddie Simpson, Doug Minick.



"What d'yah mean 10 laps? I just ran two miles!" Simpson grimaces at the thought of taking another step.

"Hey, you guys, get the lead out!" Coach Steve Middleton clocks his boys on the 2.2 mile course.



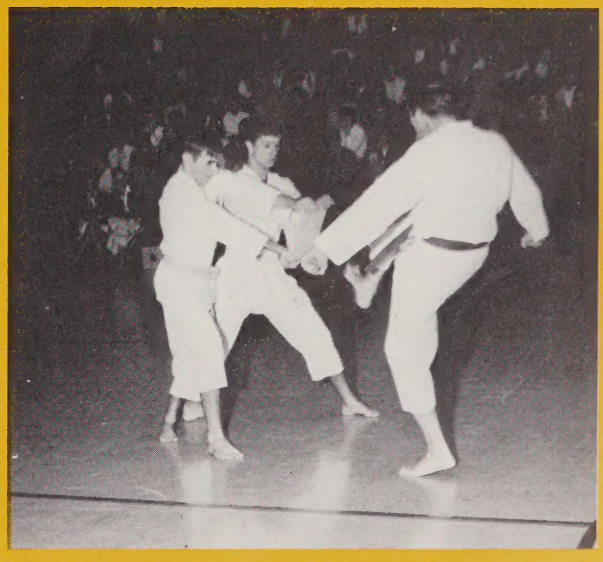
Runners try to keep a steady pace and a steady rate of breathing while jogging the course. Dave Craven, Olen Stokes, Ronnie Spach, Mike Evans.

Involvement

Learning by doing and by giving is how West's organizations made their mark this year. Marks of crowning queens, sponsoring dances, beautifying the grounds, and informing students attributed to a successful 1968-69 Titan year.

Blowing into horns, slaving to meet a publication deadline, switching duties during Twirp Week, and competing against the other classes in Spirit Week brought the year to life. Singing all types of songs and being someone else on stage developed new talents.

With every Titan giving, every Titan trying, and every Titan working, the arrows of total involvement hit right on target.



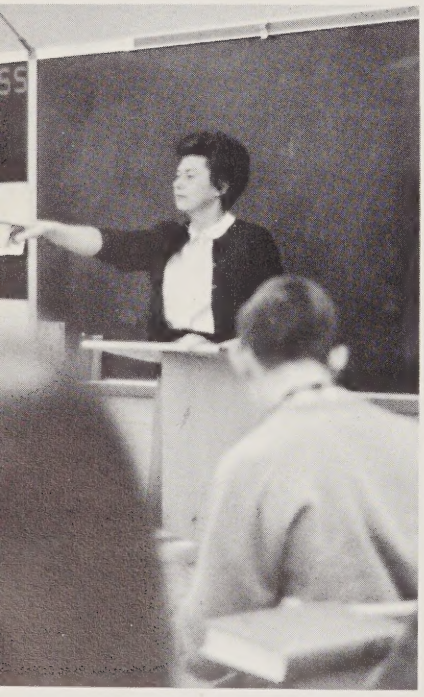
Adopting a new constitution

The main project of this year's Student Council was explaining West's new constitution to the student body and gaining ratification. The constitution needed only minor changes before adoption.

Work of the Student Council began in August when several meetings were held to form committees and organize activities. Before school started, representatives spent a day at West to help teachers stamp books, clean shelves, and run errands. Later, the council entertained the faculty at a watermelon feast.

Among its activities the Council sponsors dances, Spirit Weeks, and Twirp Week; boosts school spirit; and plans assemblies. Other responsibilities are planning election procedures, presenting the Follies, and welcoming new students and guests and sending flowers to bereaved students.

Leadership for the West Student Council is the responsibility of Gail Huston, secretary; Frank Denaro, vice-president; Beverly Adams, treasurer; Neville Chaney, president.



Miss Rosalie Adams, Student Council Advisor, asks for comments on a suggested project.

The 1968 Follies spotlight Ned Fowler, Trimella Wooten and Sammy Roberts. The Council sponsors **Follies** annually.

The Hospitality Committee sponsored a reception for Jaime Patino, West's first exchange student. Also the committee introduces new students to their classes and teachers. **Front:** Susan Pratt, Julie Rinehart. **Back:** Virginia Smith, Trimella Wooten, chairman.

dominates Council's affairs

Clark Tesh outlines his recommendations concerning changes in the draft constitution.

Social Committee members, responsible for Homecoming festivities and the Christmas dance, are decorating the gym. **Sitting:** Mary Etchison, Kathy Copeland, Steve Flora, Susan Willis, John Flynt, Linda Craft, Angela Dunn, Marsha Clarke, Jan Postove. **Standing:** Emily Todd, Francis Powell, Pat Sprinkle, Vivian Windsor, Bruce Snyder, Jim Herman. Co-chairmen of the committee were Mary Etchison and Jan Postove.

Council officers present turkeys to the janitorial staff.

Inter-Club Committee members adjourn after a discussion concerning membership. **First row:** Marsha Clarke, Ric Wagner, Debbie Rice, Judy Conrad. **Second row:** Tony Chappell, Alice Coffey, Doreen Klaus, Christie Pardue, Karen Myers, Trimella Wooten, Wanda Wooten. **Third row:** Gene Poole, Sammy Snowden, Mary Etchison, Bruce Snyder, Debbie Saylor, Monica Hedgecock, Greg Saylor, Dallas Smith.

NHS's largest induction

The 1968-69 National Honor Society started the year off right by claiming a record number of inductees. In the fall induction, a total of 24 new members joined the NHS roll, making this the largest membership ever. A second induction followed in the spring, increasing the number even more. Long hours and tedious practices spent in rehearsals for the inductions, but the impressive ceremony and delighted expressions of those tapped made up for the sacrificed Sunday afternoons.

Making honor roll tags again fell as a task of the Society. New ideas were created for the tags that recognized students who made the honor roll.

In the spring came the honor roll party for anyone that made the honor roll at least one quarter. Games in the gym, food, music, much talk, and laughter characterized the annual event.

Also in the spring came a project to raise money for a NHS scholarship. The scholarship was given to a senior at Awards Day in May. Last year's winner was Andy Stockert.

Officers of the NHS plan the programs and projects of the Society. Mary Wackerhagen, secretary; Bruce Snyder, vice president; Mrs. Bonnie Green, advisor; Monica Hedgecock, president; Trimella Wooten, treasurer.

In a fall induction, NHS admits the largest group ever inducted into the West chapter. **First row:** Karen Keyser, Lynne Stewart, Darla Morgan, Mary Ann Farrell, Theresa Threatt. **Second row:** Bobby Binkley, Jim Crandell, Pat Coordsen, Betty Davis, Jan Postove, Robert Fulton. **Third row:** Steve Carter, Frank Denaro, Brian Fisher, Lindsay Miller, Donna Black. **Fourth row:** Nancy Alexander, Carolyn Simmons, Loretta Tucker, Ginny Iobst, Angela Dunn, Susan Lilly, Becky Gobble, Doug Minick.

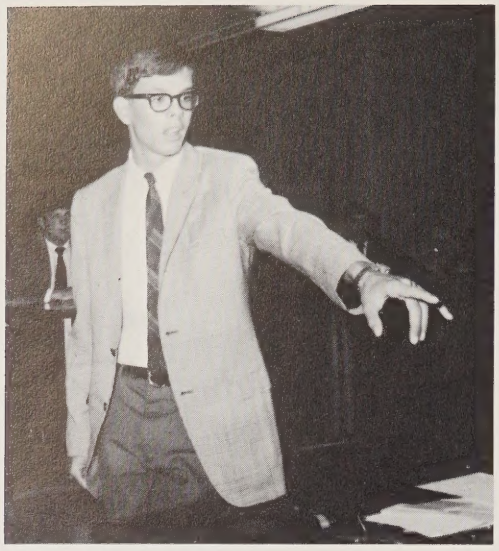
recognizes twenty-four

Preparing for an NHS-sponsored assembly, members don their impressive black robes and white stoles. Linda Doub, Mark Padgett, Judy Conrad, Jeff Minick, Gail Huston, Debbie Rice, Paul Chandler, Beverly Adams, Ric Parker, Phyllis Blackburn.

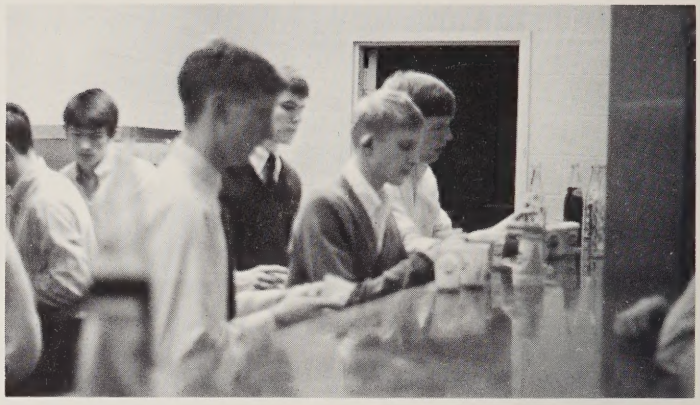
After recovering from her surprise of being tapped into the NHS, Karen Keyser lights her induction candle while Beverly Adams looks on.

"Me? Oh my!" Mary Ann Farrell gasps with happiness as Linda Doub taps her.

Key Clubbers



President Bruce Snyder points out directions at a Key Club induction. In addition to his Key Club duties at West, Bruce is lieutenant governor of North Carolina Key Club's Third Division.



Popcorn, peanuts, drinks, and good service are available when the Key Club mans the concessions stands during football and basketball seasons.

Shin Jung Oh, a 7-year old Korean orphan, now has a father. As a matter of fact, she has 26 fathers. West's Key Club has adopted Shin Jung and sends her gifts and money every month.

Working continuously to serve school and community, the Key Men cleaned parking lots, operated concession stands, sponsored dances and collected for March of Dimes (over $180) and Goodwill Bundle Day. The Club also sold parking permits, sponsored a Karate assembly and bought a drink machine for students to use after school.

Once a week, two clubbers attend a luncheon of the Kiwanis Club, national sponsor. Delegates also attended a regional convention in Charleston.

In 1968-69, two West clubbers held office in the Key Club Third Division of N.C. Bruce Snyder was lieutenant governor and Mark Padgett was editor of the division's newspaper, **Thunder in Carolina.**

Mr. Bill Holliday is Key Club advisor.

Shin Jung Oh, a Korean orphan, has found a home in the hearts of the Key Clubbers. Money sent by the Club provides Shin Jung with clothes, food, and schooling.

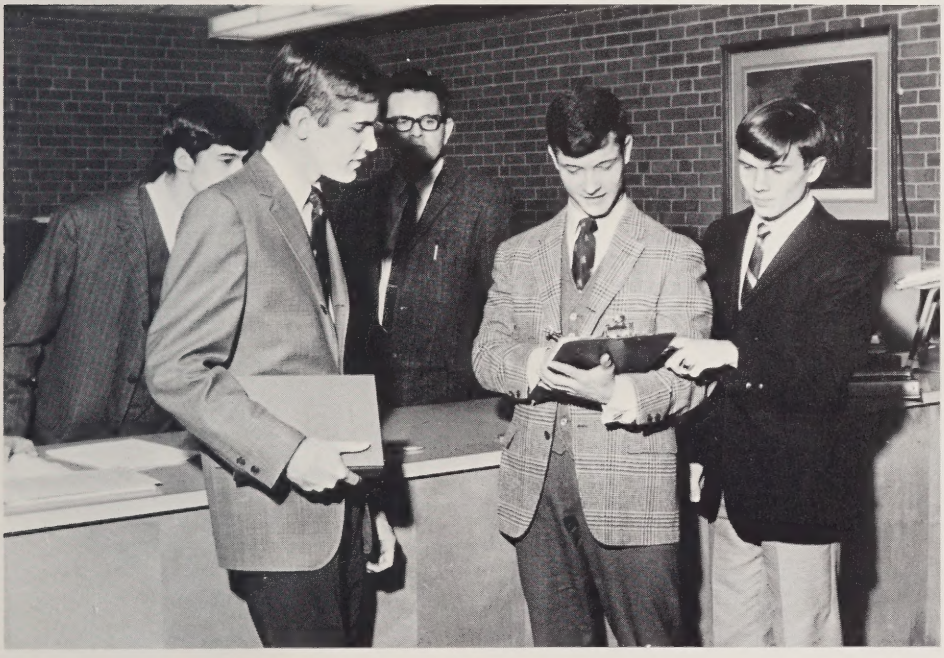
Reports! Reports! Reports! All projects and jobs of the Key Club must be recorded and placed on file for future reference.

John Swajkoski, Mitch Stover, Jim Southern, Sonny Williams, Jeff Seaton, David Rodgers, Eddie Simpson, John Flynt, Brian Fisher.

become fathers — adopt Korean orphan

Providing entertainment for students while adding to the treasury, the Key Club sponsors a dance after the West-Parkland Basketball game.

Firing questions at hopeful Key Club applicants, Jeff Seaton, Mark Padgett, Eddie Simpson, Doug Minick, and Sonny Williams show no mercy in choosing boys who will be assets to the Club.



Keeping up with the official business of the Key Club are the officers and advisor. **Front:** Bobby Binkley, treasurer; Ric Wagner, secretary; Jeff Minick, vice president. **Back:** Ric Parker, chaplain; Mr. Bill Holliday, advisor.

Always looking for more service-rendering projects, the Club works only for others. Key Clubbers receive nothing more for their work than praise for a "job well-done." Steve Carter, Arne Laurene, Doug Minick, Paul Chandler, Frank Denaro, Mark Padgett, Randy Grimes, Mike Holder, George Wackerhagen, Monte Plott, Sammy Roberts, Frankie Hunter.

The Chattanooga Choo-Choo

Sandra Vogler, Carolyn Simmons, Debbie Sheets, Dawn McMillan, Doris Hamby, Sue Barnes, Billie Joyce, Pam Richards, Mary Mock, Gay Lynn Rock, Amanda Spease, Sharon Baldwin, Pam Meadows, Susan Pratt, Sandra Mock.

Colleen Harmon, Diana Sink, Pam Simmons, Cindy Lewis, Christie Pardue, Pam Slater, Ellen Vogler, Debbie Thomas, Donna Jarvis, Beverly Adams, Margaret Burger, Carol Scott, Johnnie Hawkins, Melle Lee Stimpson, Mary McGee, Vicki Hauser.

As soon as Vicki Hauser (above) pulls on her boot, she and Colleen Harmon will take their places as choreographers of the drill team. The West Saints Come Marching In (upper right). And Emily Todd, Debbie Cooper and Cathy Hall lead the way. (Lower right) Titanides mark time as they head for the field.

comes alive

"And now presenting the West Forsyth Titanides!" These familiar words rang out at halftime performances during football season. Long, hot hours of grueling summer practices paid off as the high-prancing girls strutted onto the field.

Under the capable leadership of choreographers Vicki Hauser and Colleen Harmon, the Titanides displayed high kicks and precisioned steps to such tunes as "Chattanooga Choo Choo" and "Yankee Doodle Boy."

Miss Mary Currin, advisor, works closely with the girls in the drill team. She establishes rules and awards boot charms to girls with two years' service.

The Westbound Chattanooga Choo-Choo Chicks perform at the Parkland-West game.

Upper: Tramping! We are tramping . . . Amanda Spease, Gay Lynn Rock, Mary Mock, Pam Richards, Billie Joyce. **Lower:** West dancers reflect a variety of expressions during a football game. Sympathetic Diana Sink, bewildered Dianna Freeman and frustrated Susan Reams.

Dianna Freeman, Sheila Cline, Bobbie Brim, Brenda Scott, Sharon Bean, Sarah Sprinkle, Julie Morton, Becky Horton, Donna Haynes, Debbie Ayers, Carlotta Becker, Patty Boone, Bonnie Richardson, Debbie Saylor, Kathy Copeland.

Cindi Warner, Elaine Rinehart, Sue Myers, Debbie Spaugh, Cathy Hall, Debby Cooper, Emily Todd, Kathy Hundley, Bonnie Spaugh, Janice Norman, Vicki Montsinger, Jane Ayers, Sarah Redding, Susan Reams, Cam Kirk.

Summer practices, gold braid tops, new twirls, and more girls helped the majorettes sparkle this year with new ideas. Each one of the 12-member squad drilled diligently through hot practice sessions to perfect routines.

At football games, the twirlers performed for fans before the game and at half-time. For pep rallies, they made props and learned new steps. As fire routines highlighted the last game, the girls were wondering, "Will I burn myself?"

"Waiting for the Robert E. Lee", "Jayhawk", and "Illinois Loyal" were among the performing numbers of the group.

Invited to perform at the Wake Forest Band Day and the Winston-Salem Christmas Parade, the girls practiced circles, squares, and turns to perfection.

"We're waiting for the Robert E. Lee!"

Judy Conrad, chief; and Janet Sloan, co-chief.

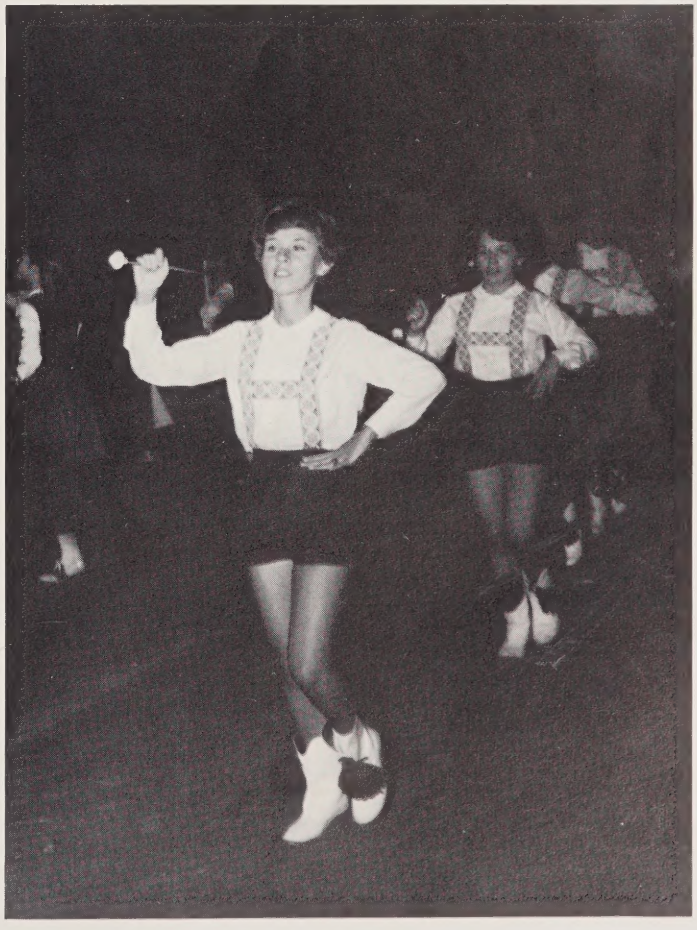
Number of twirlers

Marching in step to a drum cadence, the majorettes line up for a pre-game performance.

swells to 12; practice gives way to perfection

Kneeling: Darla Morgan, Betsy Carter, Debbie Smith, Judy Conrad, Janet Sloan, Mary Ann Farrell, Susan Lilly. **Standing:** Elaine Jarvis, Nancy Alexander, Cathy Sides, Pam Williard, Claire Owens.

Upper left: Sideline routines entertain the football fans during a quarter break. **Lower left:** Santa's Titan helpers promote Christmas cheer. **Below:** "Would everyone here kindly step to the rear . . ."



The band steps out

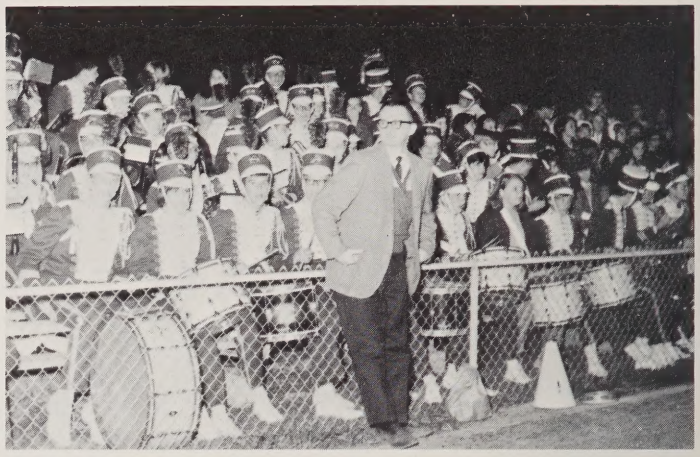
One! Two! Three! Four! the cadence starts and the West Forsyth Marching Band forms a half-moon formation on the field. With a new formation, new pep songs, and many new members, the music makers came on strong in performances.

Participating in three parades—Lewisville Harvest Festival parade, Winston-Salem Christmas parade, and the Mocksville Christmas parade—Titans marched many miles puffing, yet playing proudly all the way. Also, the band played at The Wake Forest Band Day. Last spring, the marchers placed first in the State Jaycee parade in Raleigh.

Notes and beats from the Pep Band boosted many pep rallies and some basketball games.

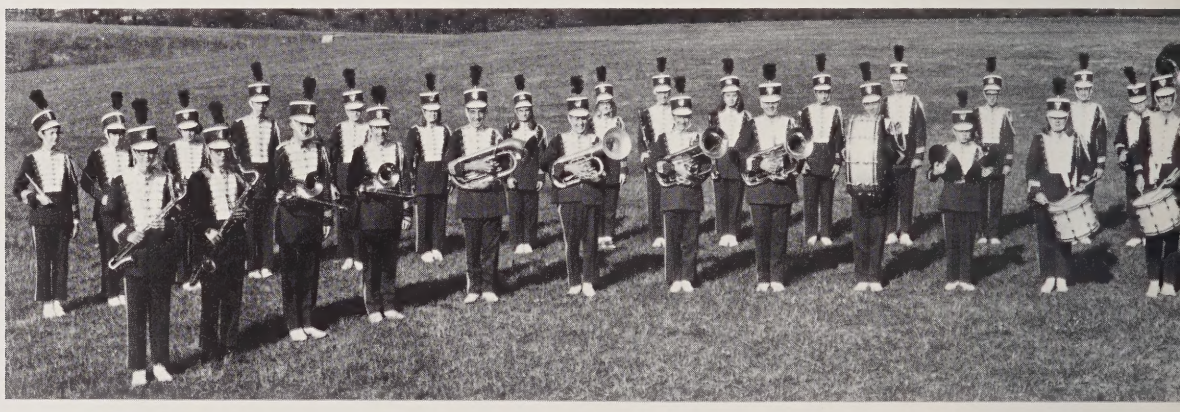
After football season, the Titan band moved its music inside for Christmas and Spring Concerts.

Music was the aim; entertainment was the target.

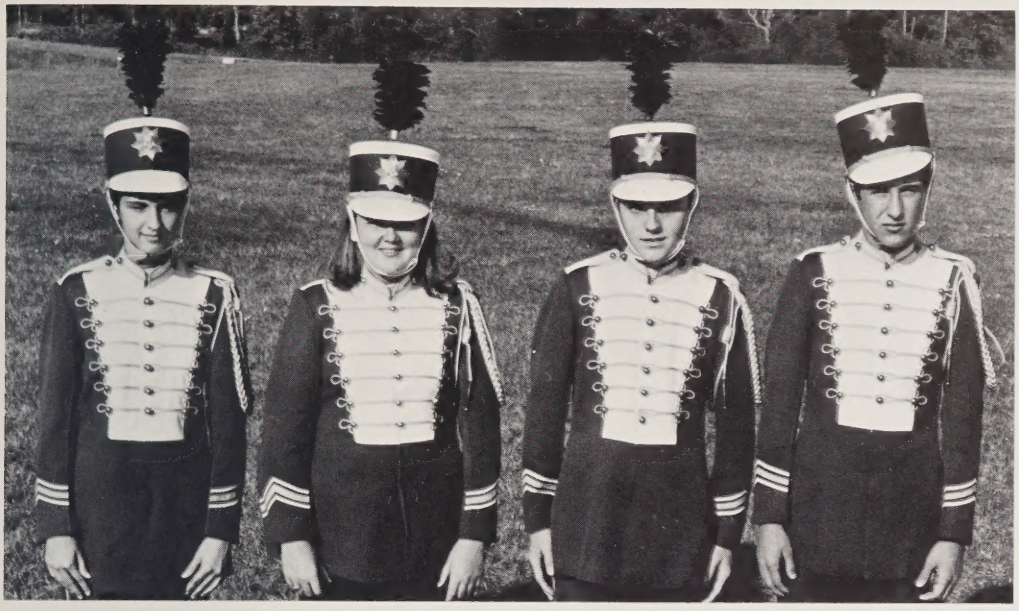


Mr. John Foreman, director, waits for a good play during the West-Forbush game so he can tune his band in.

First row: Tommy Redding, Woody Clore, Phil Williams, Mike Waller, Sammy Spaugh, Brian Cline, Mike T. Mock, Mike Warden, Wayne Algood, Keith Warner, Marty Lunsford, John Bryant, David Rodgers, Keith Bridges, James Church, Vicky Lunsford, Mike L. Mock, Ben Smith, Ken Scott, Wade Long, Gary Conrad, Fred Elliott, Keith Boyles, Kirk Vernon, Jerry Hauser. **Second row:** Beth Bates, Judy Dorton, Berry Jane Rock, Chris Ward, Chuck Umstead, Carol Langhurst, Sarah Jo Brown, Lisa Transou, Becky Wolfe, Susan Lawrance, Carol Conrad, Frank Demaro, Tommy Burke, Paul Nifong, Kyle Buchanan, Robert Poe, Ken Roberts, Gary Aaron, Allen Bishop, Bill Ward, David Prudhomme, Clarke Tesh, Shirley Renegar, Cindi Williams, Dana Campbell, Dallas Smith, Don Tuttle, Bryon Hill, Carol Pruett, Sybil Miller.

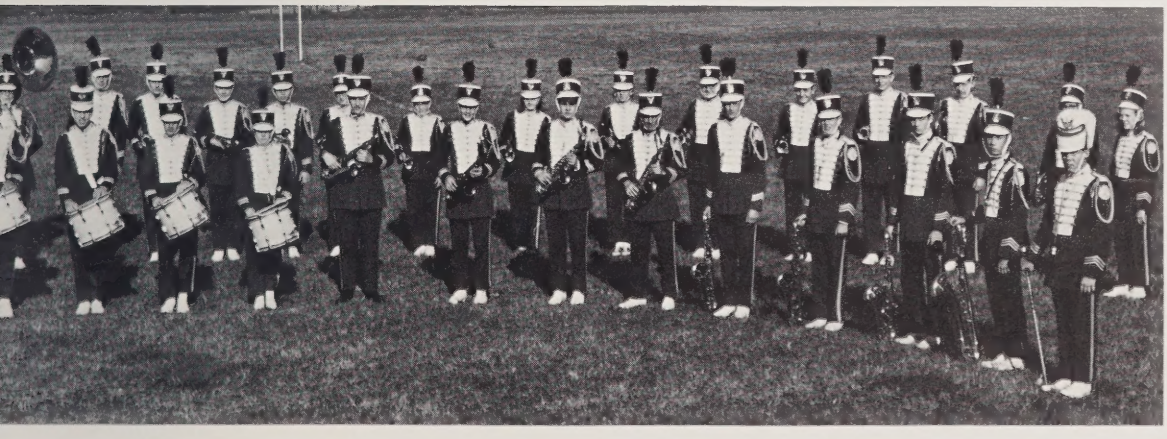


in new half-moon formation



Officers of the band call roll, distribute music, and help Mr. Foreman keep the group together before and after half-time. Carol Conrad, treasurer; Marty Lunsford, secretary; Dallas Smith, president; David Rogers, vice president.

Drum major Jerry Hauser poses in the dignified stance of a band leader.



Mark of Meistersingers:

Karen Myers and Donna Black are accompanists for the singers.

Demonstrating one of his many musical accomplishments, Mr. John Foreman plays the piano. He spends many hours composing and arranging musical scores for the singing groups.

Left, First row: Debbie Wise, Joan Stewart, Janet Sloan. **Second row:** Vickie Beroth, Debbie Sheets, Gail Ketner. **Third row:** Cathy Dix, Debbie Thorpe, Amy Hagaman, Amanda Spease. **Fourth row:** Kathy Copeland, Carol Craft, Ellie Allcorn, Dolly Wendt. **Right, First row:** Karen Myers, Trimella Wooten, Debbie Mullins. **Second row:** Janet Boger, Debbie Brissenden, Brenda O'Mara. **Third row:** Louise Smith, Doris Hamby, Carol Scott. **Fourth row:** Kathy Ladd, Susan Dull, Debbie Johnson, Emily Todd.

black robes and white stoles

The Meistersingers belt out songs at the Christmas concert. In the absence of Mr. Foreman, Karen Myers directed the group in the performance for the students.

Black robes and white stoles distinguish the meistersingers from other choruses in school. Although a regular class, this group prepares special programs.

Combining their voices in class, religious and pop music, the meistersingers presented two concerts during the school year. Each concert was held at night for friends and parents and again during the day for the students.

For the Christmas concert, Debbie Johnson was honor soloist for "O Holy Night." The Spring Concert featured a variety of selections and soloists.

Left, First row: Rickey Bell, Pat Smith. **Second row:** Danny Gough, Chris Todd, Jim Herman. **Third row:** Toby Hardister, Ned Fowler, Greg Shaw. **Fourth row:** Frankie Rice, Lindsay Miller, Danny Cohn. **Right, First row:** Nina Pickett, Brenda Walker, Sandra Sloan, JoAnn Disher, Frances Joyner. **Second row:** Janice Norman, Cindy Lewis, Debbie Day, Pam Simmons, Loretha Hudson. **Third row:** Mary Mock, Becky Gobble, Melle Lee Stimpson, Brenda Miller, Emily Todd. **Fourth row:** Ruby Miller, Susan Pratt, Pat Sprinkle, Jane Kimel, Donna Black, Nada Wishon.

Cronus arrives! What a surprise!

Mary Etchison, editor-in-chief of the **Cronus,** concocts every page of the yearbook and supervises all work done by her staff. The tears and sweat are hers too.

"**O.K.,** who's got the drill team pictures?" "Oh, no, I can't find pages 74 and 75!" these cries of woe were frequent on February 9 of this year—the day before the deadline for the 1969 **Cronus.**

Days and nights of hard work were spent before the deadline. Layouts had to be drawn for every page. Every picture in the **Cronus** had to be planned before it was taken. The exact word was dug out before it was typed.

Members of the yearbook staff are in the journalism class. Students learn and work at the same time.

Past editions of the **Cronus** have won awards at the North Carolina Press Institute and the Southern Interscholastic Press Association (SIPA). At SIPA, the 1967 **Cronus** won an honor award and acclaim for its cover. At the N.C. Press Institute, the same **Cronus** won Best Cover Award.

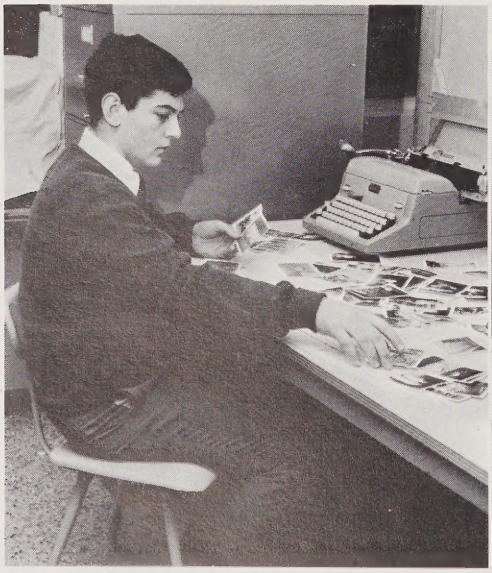
Choosing action shots is one duty of junior class editor David Doby. Good-natured David organizes all pictures, captions, and headlines for the junior section.

"**These senior statistics** are maddening." Why can't everyone just come to school and forget everything else?" Darla Morgan, assistant editor and senior editor of the **Cronus,** spends her time tracking down activities of seniors. Also a member of the **Zephyr** staff, Darla is in charge of all art work.

"**If I have to add** these figures one more time, I'm gonna scream!" Phyllis Blackburn, business manager of **Zephyr-Cronus** publications, slaves over charge tickets, figures, and money.

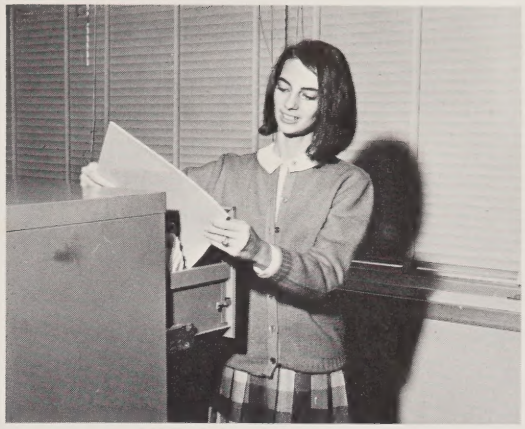
Jane Reisenweaver hunts for a name card while Mike Roberts points out a picture. Jane and Mike are sophomore class editors.

Keeping up with scores, plays, and players, sports editor Monte Plott condenses the action of West's sport events into a summary for the annual.



The Zephyr blows in the West news

"O.K., people, the deadline was yesterday. Where are your articles?" Tony Chappell, **Zephyr's** editor-in-chief establishes deadlines, types stencils and superintends all phases of the newspaper. And, in general, he raises his voice.



Collecting and proof-reading articles for publication, assistant editor Wanda Wooten lends several helping hands to the operation.

Zephyr staff members include career journalists as well as interested students who are learning the fundamentals of newspaper production. The staff is composed of the West journalism class, although many contributions come from the student body.

Reporters and editors attempt to give complete coverage to news, sports, and stories of special interest. The journalism class gives the students a chance to unite journalistically and to develop their own style. In doing so, they learn to inform the student body accurately and concisely.

"Hey, I need a picture, NOW." Kirk Vernon and Fred Elliott, photographers for the publications, hear this demand many times during the year.

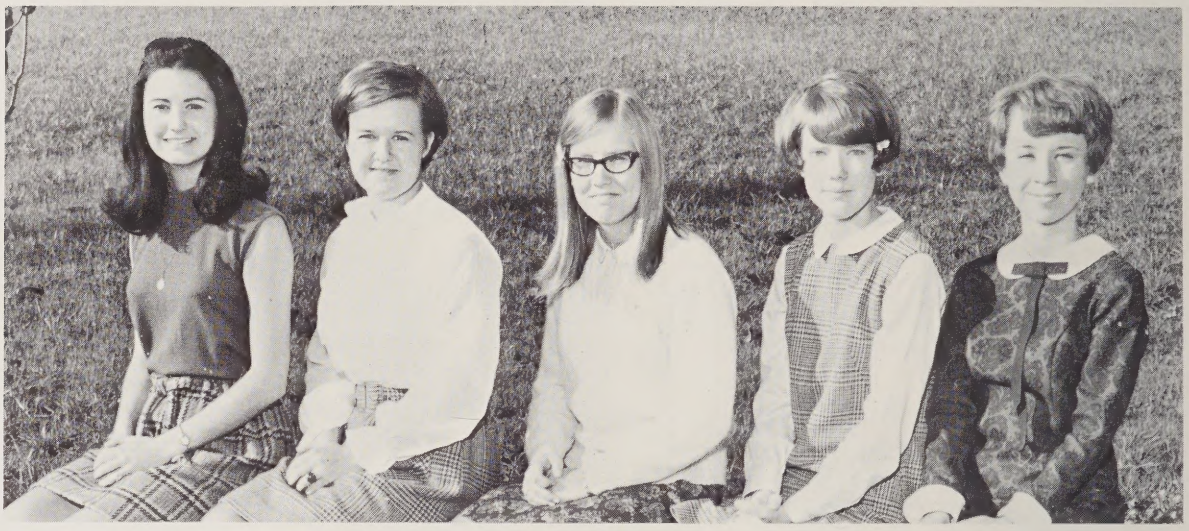
"And now sport fans . . ." Doug Moffitt, Monte Plott, editor; and David Doby divide reporting assignments of West's athletic events.

In charge of mimeographing the **Zephyr** is Chris Todd. Chris makes certain that every page is clear and readable.

Deadlines come fast to the features staff of the **Zephyr.** Louise Smith, Debby Johnson, Darla Morgan, Nancy Stallings, editor; Mike Roberts, Doreen Klaus.

News editor Mary Ann Farrell (sitting) explains next week's assignments to her staff. Chris Todd, Jane Reisenweaver, Tommy Jennings, Lynda Jones, Beth Alspaugh, Wanda Wooten.

"Hearts and Flowers" and



Officers: Mary McGee, treasurer; Debbie Rice, president; Bonnie Collins, second vice president; Linda Craft, first vice president; Darla Morgan, secretary.

Seniors-First row: Doris Hamby, Joan Stewart, Janie Long, Sharon Baldwin, Cathy Hall, Debbie Cooper, Jane Hampton, Lynn Landreth. **Second row:** Beverly Adams, Carolyn Simmons, Debbie Thomas, Ellen Vogler, Johnnie Hawkins, Sandra Franklin, Mary Ann Farrell, Carol Ketner. **Third row:** Janet Sloan, Nancy Myers, Lynne Stewart, Brenda Jones, Pam Simmons, Sue Myers, Brenda Walker, Debbie Wishon, Susan Dull. **Fourth row:** Phyllis Blackburn, Doris Griffin, Sue Barnes, Mary Wackerhagen, Gail Huston, Mary Jane Tucker, Katrina Rivers, Lynda Jones, Beverly Jones, Donna Mullican. **Fifth row:** Harriet Sheets, Betty Davis, Susan Pratt, Vicki Hauser, Julie Morton, Debbie Saylor, Melle Lee Stimson, Amanda Spease. **Sixth row:** Mary Etchison, Vickie Hersh, Kathy Copeland, Ruby Miller, Patty Boone, Jan Orrell, Sherry Orrell.

visitations Keep Y-Teens busy

Having the largest membership in Forsyth County and aiming for Christian ideals, the Y-Teens at West work hard at their task—serving West and surrounding communities. In October, the Y-Teens helped with the community's UNICEF drive. They visited the aged at Knollwood Hall and the mentally-deficient at Amos Cottage.

Many girls went to Fellowship Services in Washington, D.C., during National Y-Teen Week. The club also sponsored an assembly during this commeration week.

"Hearts and Flowers" was the theme of the Valentine Dance, an event sponsored annually by the Y-Teens. Planning for the February fling began in December.

Juniors-First row: Debbie Drum, Judy Pegram, Salli Bailey, Janice Norman, Susan Willis, Kathy Black. **Second row:** Bonnie Dyson, Lin Haynes, Gee Gee Grant, Cindy Lewis, Sarah Redding. **Third row:** Nancy Alexander, Joy Hester, Mitzi Griffin, Nancy Doherty, Mary Mock, Amy Hagaman. **Fourth row:** Sandra Mock, Janice Shoaf, Marilyn Sanderson, Emily Todd, Rhonda Morefield, Chris Roberts, Carlotta Becker. **Fifth row:** Donna Seagraves, Marie Swindler, Angela Dunn, Cathy Dix, Sandra Vogler, Mary Ann Wishon. **Sixth row:** Kathy Ladd, Becky Wolfe, Donna Everhart, Vickie Beroth, Cathy Crouse, Nada Wishon, Vivian Windsor.

Sophomores-Front: Melinda Holcomb, Pam Elliot, Mrs. Margaret King, advisor; Dianne Gabard, Teresa Roberts, Penny Minick. **Center:** Donna West, Betsy Carter, Marsha Clarke, Claire Owens, Ruth Hagaman. **Back:** Donna Walsh, Dianne Horger, Jane Ketner, Linda Fowler, Connie Padgett.

Informative meetings and helping others

FHA officers plan programs, projects and recreation for club members. Kate Williamson, reporter; Nada Wishon, recreation leader; Phyllis Dinkins, treasurer; Nancy Myers, Vice-president; Wanda Wooten, president; Jane Kimel, secretary; Bonnie Richardson, parliamentarian; Judy Sidden, historian.

Gail Stewart demonstrates how to properly iron a dress to sophomores Barbara Boner, Margil Conrad, Donna Walsh, Sandy Booker, Kay Lawson, Teresa Roberts, and Faye Lawson.

Senior FHAers learn kitchen skills for future use. Janie Long, Frances Joyner, Marty Lunsford, Tonyia Minnish, Marsha Robbins, Karen Keyser, Donna Johnson, Sharon Baldwin, Sheila Walton, Debbie Wishon, Dianne Cranfill, Harriett Sheets, Carol Craft, and Jane Hampton.

reward FHA for its work

The West Forsyth Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America concentrated on citizenship and careers for 1968-69. To carry out these themes, FHAers sent Christmas packages to servicemen, former West students, and gave mementos to teachers on their birthdays.

Included on programs were a home economist, who spoke on careers in home economics, and a high school foreign-exchange student. Highlight of one meeting was a panel of career women answering questions and giving information about their careers.

The FHA chapter sent delegates to the District Rally in Greensboro and to the State Rally in Raleigh.

Ginny Hayworth (with scissors) shows her fellow junior FHA members how to cut out a dress pattern. **Sitting:** Dean Collins, Patsy Bodsford, Vicky Ayers, Kathy Ladd, Marquita Neal. **Standing:** Mary Cregger, Beverly Bowen, Mary Ann Wishon, Cathy Hauser, Belinda Stabler, June Weatherman, Marie Austin, Betty Hill, Marsha Conrad, Martha Robbins, Debbie Craft.

Betty Ketner shows the latest styles to sophomore members. **Sitting:** Susan Dickerson, Donna Branon, Vicki Blackburn, Darlene Evans, Joyce Welcher, Pat Gibson, Etta Lashmit. **Standing:** Margaret Moore, Marie Moore, Sherry Melton, Donna West, Pam Sidden, Sheila Edwards, Debbie Beroth, Becky Thomas.

The look of surprise! Miss Huffman presents Phyllis Blackburn with West's Betty Crocker Homemaker Award. Under the prize, Phyllis is eligible for a scholarship in home economics.

Junior Jan Postove demonstrates the operation of a sewing machine to Yvonne Bodsford, Kathy Black, Angela Dunn, Linda Craft, Donna Everhart, Judy Pegram, Lola Barber, Beth Bates, Sarah Redding, Carlotta Becker, Vicky Lunsford.

Plays have

Lilies of the Field, fall presentation of the drama department, drew favorable notices for professional production of a difficult adaptation. Vicki Hauser, as Mother Superior, dominated Homer Smith, played by Mitch Stover. "Touching in its simplicity" was one description of the play.

Dinny and the Witches was a wild and way-out fantasy exploding with action and color. Trumpet-blowing Dinny, depicted by Eddie Simpson, was bullied by three witches (Nina Sue Pickett, Elaine Rinehart, Maureen Berndt), and was loved by Julie Rinehart as Amy. West's reputation for professional amateur productions called for both plays to run three nights each.

Casts for both plays came from the student body and drama classes. Drama I and II students handled set building, costumes, make-up, lighting, sound, and advertisement. The aim of professional entertainment was hit right on target.

"Sammy, really!" Mrs. Maxine Perdue, drama teacher and director, has versatile abilities in directing a play, planning another, and holding try-outs for the Follies—all at the same time.

Fluttery stomachs attack Jerry Klein and Padre Ned Fowler before curtain time.

"Ouch! Watch it, it's real!" Cathy Hall, make-up director for **Lilies,** glues a mustache on Ben Smith.

"A pearl storm? Oh come now!" Dinny and witch friends reach for riches.

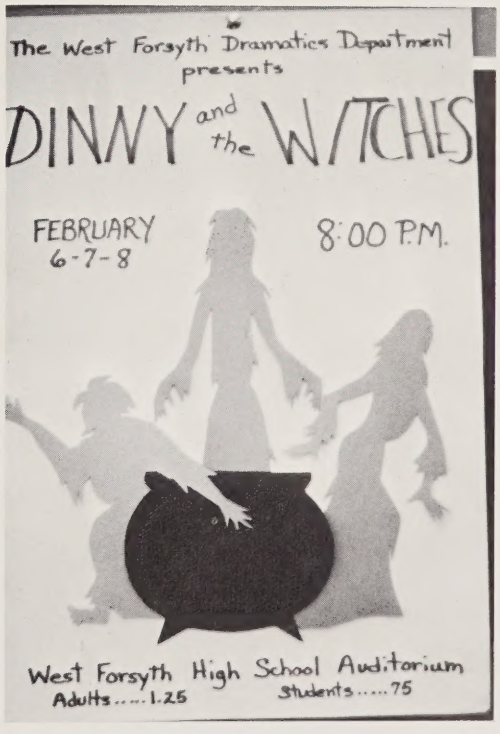
professional marks

Homer entertains the nuns after dinner.

Entertaining visitors to the Isle of the Western Wind, native girls tell a story through dance.

"Double, double, toil and trouble." Eddie Simpson meets the weird witches of the world.

The critics assemble for compliments—or slaughter.



Here, there

Pep clubbers decorate the team bus for a visit to a rival school. **Outside:** Bruce Snyder, Ellie Allcorn, Gail Huston, Mary Wackerhagen, Judy Conrad, Monica Hedgecock. **Inside:** Vivian Windsor, Donna Brannon, Betsy Cook, Katrina Rivers, Lynda Jones, Beverly Jones, Jan Holland, Jane Hampton. **Top:** Brian Fisher, Paul Chandler.

Pep club fans infiltrate the stands at a stadium football game in support of the Titan team.

Sitting: Amanda Spease, Janie Long, Sharon Baldwin, Doris Griffin, Wanda Wooten, Phyllis Dinkins, Mitzi Griffin, Sandra Franklin, Brenda Jones. **Standing:** Mickey Williams, C.L. Gobble, Trimella Wooten, Becky Gobble, Debbie Brissenden, Jim Herman, Debbie Rice, David Hill, Jean Price, Jill Miller, Nancy Myers, Joan Stewart, Vickie Beroth, Loretta Tucker, Becky Williams, Nancy Doherty, Karen Keyser.

and everywhere—Pep and Pep Club

Karen Myers (left), Pep Club president, and Tonyia Minnish, secretary-treasurer, sell booster megaphones, pom-poms and shakers to spirited Titans.

The Pep Club at West was spirit-raising throughout the year. Busses were provided to many of the ballgames played away from West. The schools, fields, and gyms where games were played were decked with Titan-supporting signs. If the green and gold streamers were in sight, you knew the Pep Club had been at work.

Students were able to display their spirit with the help of victory phrases, ribbons, cowbells and shakers sold by the Pep Club.

During football season, the Pep Club sponsored a dance featuring the Chessmen. They honored the cheering squads with gifts of corsages after the cheerleaders' victory in Fayetteville.

Sitting: Susan Willis, Dianne Gabard, Marty Ayers, Mary Sprinkle, Ric Wagner, Penny Minick, Carol Conrad, Beth Mitchell, Nancy Vest, Virginia Smith, Anne Kimel. **Standing:** Sammy Roberts, Cathy Zafoot, Sarah Pfaff, Marsha Clarke, Ric Parker, Beth Alspaugh, Eddie Simpson, Richard Hamby, Celeste Joyner, Pat Sprinkle, Suzanne Rawls, Gail Stewart, Danny Whitman, Jim Brawley, Joyce Welcher.

Girls earn points for G.A.A.

State Playday in Greensboro is the highlight of the year for the GAA members. This event, held in the spring, will draw participants from many high schools. West representatives will be those with the highest number of points earned by involvement in sports. Competition is keen for these points.

Membership in the GAA is also determined by points for participating in individual and team sports. Ping pong is the only individual sport so far, but plans are in the making for other spring individual sports.

The group will also sponsor a Junior High Playday and a sports-round-up.

In intramural speedball, Debbie Wise watches Becky Williams kick the ball downfield for their team.

Officers of the GAA are sports enthusiasts and are usually near the gym. Bottom to top: Alice Coffey, president; Becky Williams, vice president; Debbie Wise, secretary; Karen Keyser, treasurer; Florence Spease, publicity.

Earning twenty-five points by participating in team and individual sports, girls may join the GAA. **First row:** Becky Thomas, Susan Culler, Donna Black, Debbie Bryant, JoAnn Disher, Tonyia Minnish, Phyllis Dinkins. **Second row:** Gail Stewart, Loretha Hudson, Judy Nixon, Diane Stockert, Paula Beauchamp, Donna West, Nancy Doherty, Cathy Rogers, Miss Norma Harbin, advisor. **Third row:** Ellie Allcorn, Tommie Moffitt, Sharon Bean, Sandra Mock, Donna Hauser, Carol Conrad, Mary Sprinkle, Gay Lynn Rock, Vivian Windsor. **Fourth row:** Pat Sprinkle, Sallie Bailey, Cathy Dix, Christie Pardue, Marjorie Nash, Betsy Cook, Loretta Tucker, Donna Everhart, Judy Sidden.

Jr. Engineers-Science Club joins National Group

Mr. Fred Parker, sponsor of the Junior-Engineers, shows the club the importance of physics to the engineers.

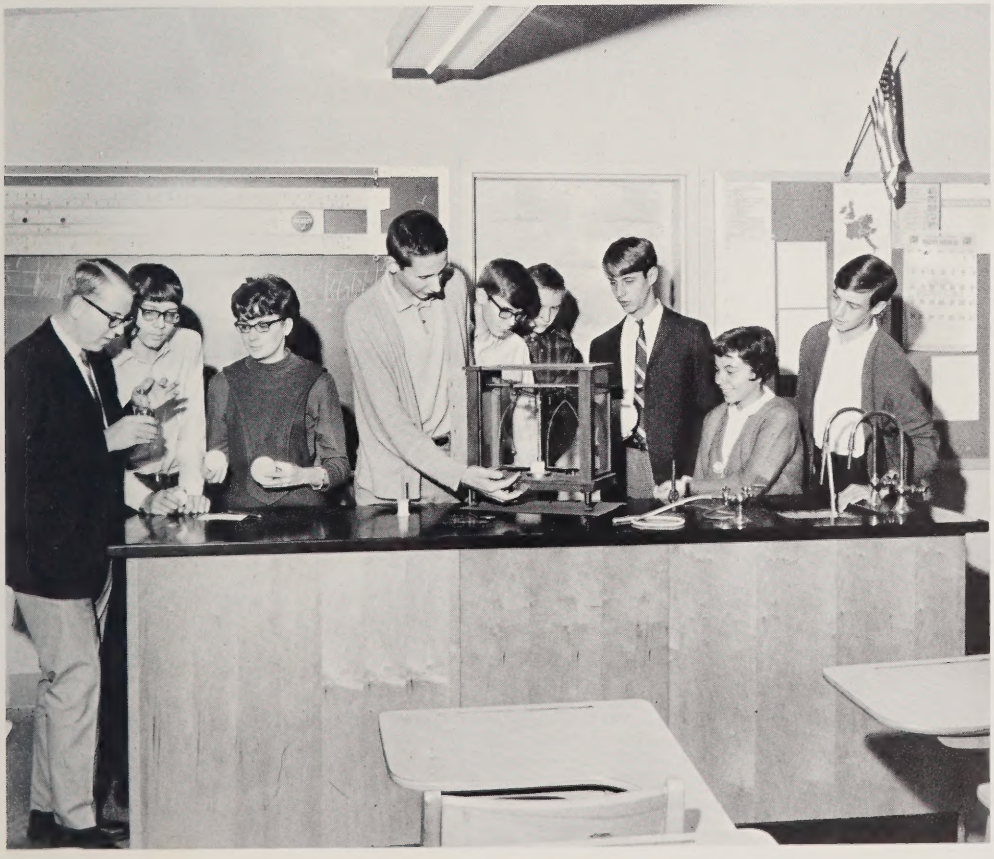
Offering an outlet for scientifically inclined Titans, West's Junior Engineers-Science Club explores opportunities for engineers and scientists. The club's activities are suggested by members and carried out by the program committee. Tours and guest speakers are usually on the agenda.

Field trips included a tour of a new Piedmont Aviation installation. Among the speakers was Mr. William Snyder, a former West teacher.

This year the club voted to affiliate with JETS, the national Junior-Engineering Technical Society.

This equipment is valuable for engineers and all kinds of scientists.

Tony Chappell, vice-president, tries to advise Linda Doub, secretary-treasurer, but Greg Saylor, president, does not agree with the suggestion.



The whole school hopes that these future scientists and engineers know what to do with all those gadgets: Robert Hudgins, Phillip Skeen, Connie Myers, Tom Phelps, Jim Gould, Arne Laurene, Frank Denaro, Tonyia Minnish, Olen Stokes.

Dedicated workers in library

In addition to routine duties of shelving and checking out books, the library club dresses up the display case in the administration building. These displays are timely, attractive and orginal.

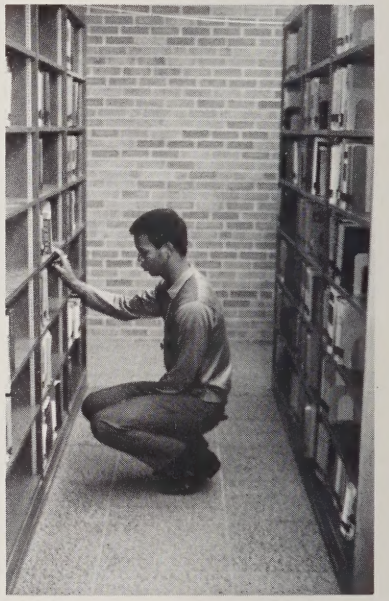
Another service of the club is providing special book exhibits and publicizing these displays.

Representatives have attended district and state meetings and have sponsored candidates for offices.

Mrs. Mary Vance (back), sponsor, stands by as Library Club officers illustrate the correct procedure at the check out desk. Doreen Klaus, president; Enett Ayers, secretary; Michael Faw, vice-president; Tim Bennett, treasurer.

These girls are either checking reports for history, or they have found a very unusual item of information in West's library. Cathy Dix, Yvonne Bodsford, Brenda Scott, Kathy Black, Linda Craft, Marie Swindler.

Library helpers have finished a multitude of tasks. Tim Bennett, Nina Pickett, Janet Boger, Enett Ayers, Ann Kimel. **Back:** Dolly Wendt, Marquita Neal, JoAnn Billings, Judy Dorton, Brian Cline.



Jerome Neal is diligently searching for a suitable book for parallel reading in English.

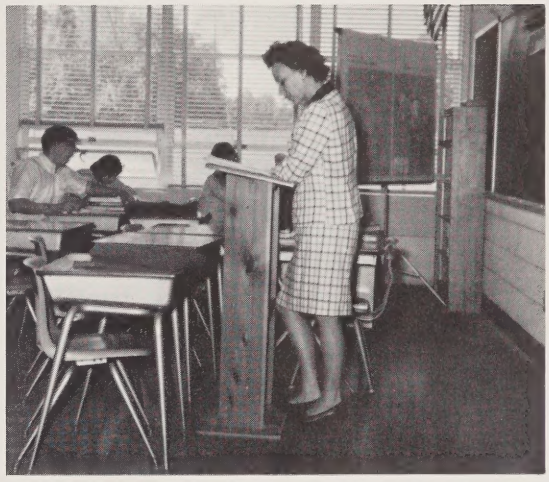
FTA gives teachers a lift

The Future Teachers of America at West pay special attention to their teachers. The FTA members give small remembrances during the year and honor the teachers at coffee hours at Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter and the end of the year.

In addition to these favors, the chapter assists teachers by performing clerical duties and checking papers.

Tomorrow's teachers develop their interests.

Christie Pardue, president of West's FTA, explains the procedure and asks for suggestions from the other officers: Shery Orrell, treasurer; Lou Cox, publicity chairman; Ann Kimel, vice-president; Sharon Bean, secretary.



Mrs. Harriet Binkley, FTA advisor, gives an illustration of good teaching.

Dividing the responsibilities, these FTA members eagerly carry out their assignments: Bonnie Pennell, Connie Myers, Mary Mock, Amy Hagaman, Patsy Bodsford, Susan Baity.

D.E. delegates to go to Atlantic City

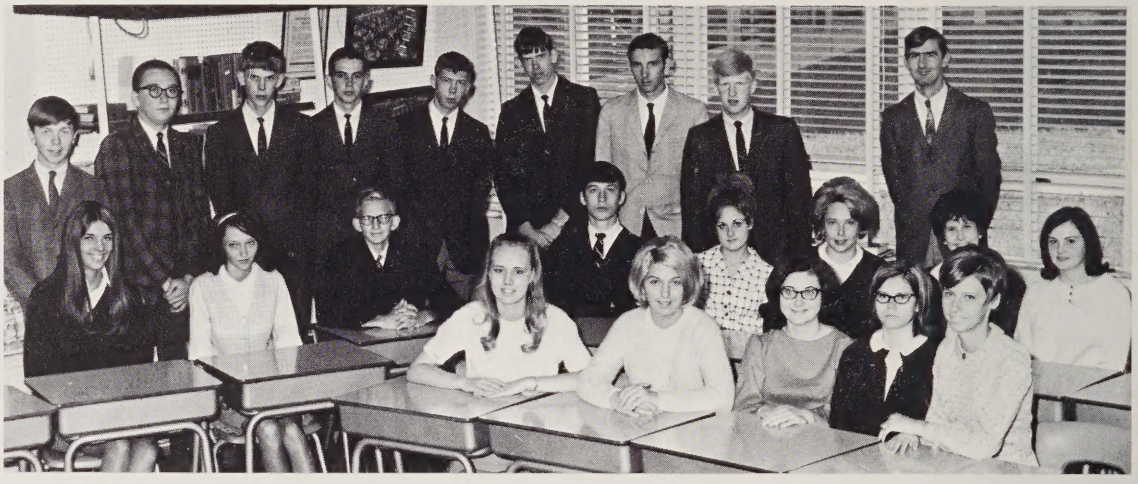
Organizing West's DE club and training convention contestants are the officers. **Bottom to top:** Greg Stewart, president; Linda Weaver, photographer; Kaye Bowman, reporter; Susie Vestal, treasurer; Rhonda Beck, secretary; Wanda Carter, Sears Foundation Award; Vickie Inman, parliamentarian; Gary Lowder, vice president; Ken Howell, associate vice president.

Gail Combs, DE Sweetheart

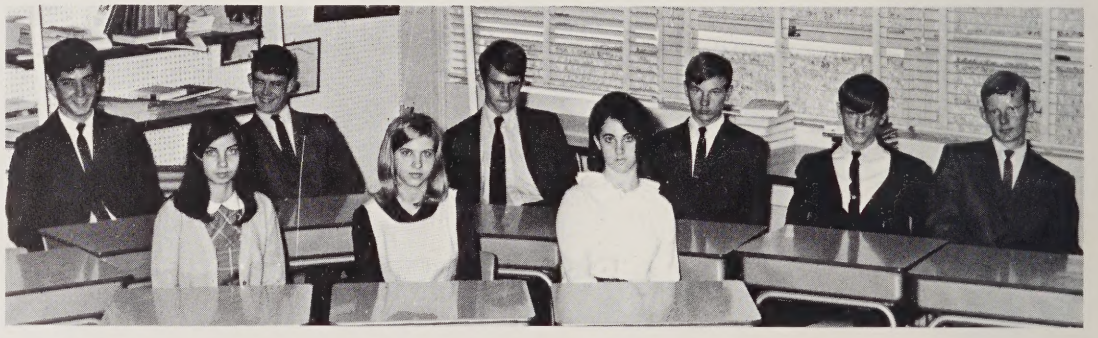
For students who want to work and go to school at the same time, Distributive Education is the answer. DE club members spend the morning in classes at West, learning about the professions they wish to join. Then at 12:45, these members leave for an afternoon on the job.

During the year, delegates attend district, state, and national conventions. Gail Combs was runner-up in District V's sweetheart competition. The district's vice-president is Gary Lowder. Four delegates attended the National Convention in Atlantic City in April.

Mrs. Juanita Bowser, teacher of the DE department, makes sure that every one of her students has a job.



Earning money while attending school, members of DE get a head start on other high school graduates in finding jobs. **Front:** Carol Cooper, Judy Jones, Debbie Mullins, Linda Childress, Peggy Colbert. **Center:** Gail Combs, Polly Beauchamp, Barry Blevins, Roy Craver, Linda Robertson, Cathy Hauser, Nancy White, Brenda O'Mara. **Back:** Sammy Johnson, Don Wike, Calvin Kimmer, Ken Byerly, Sammy Hutchins, Sammy Kimmer, Randy Witt, Chris Shore, Richard Bachmann.



Learning distribution of goods and services under Mrs. Bowser, DE members also attend classes required before leaving for work. **Front:** Jackie Burgess, Joyce Wilson, Janet Pilcher. **Back:** Billy Sweat, Galen Collins, Ronnie Campbell, Dale Fearrington, Terry King, Roger Davis.

VICA leads to work independence

Apprentices for industrial skills enroll in West's Industrial Cooperative Training program. With 40 part-time students, ICT has its largest membership ever.

Under the guidance of Mr. Charles Giles, ICT members attend four classes in the morning and then leave for on-the-job training. Mr. Giles trains his students in specific trades as well as general employment practices.

When district conventions appear on the calendar, ICT students enter competitions and usually bring a prize back to West.

Holding high offices in the VICA club (sitting) Vicki Pfaff, secretary; Janice Renegar, historian. **Standing:** Terry Byerly, treasurer; Leon Spaugh, editor; Sammy Snowden, president; Rick Fletcher, vice president; David Hawkins, sergeant-at-arms.

Chief at the wheel. Mr. Simpson looks over the transfer truck that James Rominger (left), an ICT member, built.

Learning a trade while completing their education, ICT members gain valuable experience before obtaining a full-time job. **First row:** Donald Hutchens, Donald Gentry, Homer Gough. **Second row:** Perry Black, Michael Bell, Larry Gentry. **Third row:** Harold Wood, Arthur Belton, Rickey Groce, Mike Conrad, Jerry White. **Fourth row:** Donald Boose, Tommy Myers, Larry Laster, Mike Walker.

Spending half the day at school and the other half on the job, these ICT boys learn the qualities of a responsible worker. **First row:** Moses Belton, Thurman Jarvis, Billy Luper, Don Jones, Gene Anders. **Second row:** John Latchford, Mark Hicks, Mike Lashmit, James Rominger, Don Saylor. **Third row:** David Snyder, Denny Everhart, John Miller, Lonnie Hughes, Mike Holder.

FFAers visit

Transportation to and from projects is provided by Mr. Thomas Pratt, advisor. Officers are Perry Black, vice president; Bobby Groseclose, sentinel; James Melton, reporter; Mike Lashmit, president; Ronnie Spach, secretary; Van Williams, treasurer.

Working outside on the grounds and inside in the shop, FFAers learn to use all types of machinery. **Front:** Lee Bowen, Ronnie Bodsford, Gary Taylor, Mark Leagans, David Fletcher, Otis Smith. **Center:** Denny Everhart, Jim Hunt, Ronald Slater, Wayne Lyons, Wade Beauchamp, Mike Rominger, Durwood Jones, Dennis Weir, John Attaway, Rick Fletcher, Fred Ayers, Eddie Rice, Billy Scott, Bobby Scott, Ronnie Scott. **Back:** James Rominger, Jerry Shelton, Phil Renfroe, Jerry Teaster, John Wall, Gary Baldwin, Ken Howell, Dallas Cline, Marion Conrad.

State Fair

A trip to Raleigh and the State Fair highlighted the '68-'69 school year of the Future Farmers of America club at West. Sixty-six FFAers toured the fairgrounds, making a special stop at agricultural exhibits. Soil-judging events, and exhibits at the Dixie Classic Fair increased enthusiasm for the club.

Last spring, Mr. T.C. Pratt, advisor of the FFA, and his boys built dug-outs for West's new baseball diamond. This year, the FFA keeps the field in good shape for games.

Basketball also enters the realm of the FFA. West's team competes against other FFA teams of the county's schools.

FFAers learn to use these tools skillfully.

Woodworking goes on in the shop. **First row:** Lee Hicks, Grant Vogler, Mike H. Holder, Ken Banks, Ronnie Hartman, Steve Smith, Billy Bodsford. **Second row:** Billy Galloway, Bruce James, Ronnie Merritt, Neil Beauchamp, James Matthews, Doug Brandon, Cannon Harper, Tom Vance, Gary Vance, Keith Warner. **Third row:** Bill Phelps, Eddie Moore, Richard Conrad, Jasper Harper, Eddie Hicks, David Cook, Bill Newsome, Bill Latham, Mike Howell, Donnie Richardson, Jack Smith, Mike Hicks. **Fourth row:** Mike Schaffer, Joe Schuyler, Johnny Holder, Clifton Darnell, Butch Roberson, Fred Thompson, Sammy Carriker.

Let us do the driving for you

Mr. Bill Holliday, bus co-ordinator, looks on with bus drivers as Mr. Mark Tise, mechanic (kneeling), points out the trouble. Roger Taylor, Buddy Nelson, Mark Leagans. **Standing:** Mike Nifong, Kirk Vernon, Fred Elliott.

"Move to the back!" "Find a seat." "Hey, can't you be a little quieter?" Such are the requests of bus drivers. They do not like to yell, but sometimes it is necessary to keep the bus safe for all students.

West's bus drivers have two shifts of students to take home each afternoon. Leaving school at 2:15, they travel to the four elementary schools and drive home future Titans. They are back at West by 3:15 to transport West students home safely.

In addition to driving safely, the drivers have to keep the buses clean and in good working order. **First row:** Eddie Hicks, Steve Brown, Ronnie Rabon, Monty Jennings, Bill Myers, Arthur Belton, Dickie Spainhour. **Second row:** Ricky Lunsford, Sammy Roberts, Glenn Skaarhaug, R. Mike Holder. **Third row:** Nina Sue Pickett, Gary Freeman, Bruce James, Susan Barber. **Fourth row:** Don Tuttle, Stan Binkley, Billy Scott, Ken Monson. **Fifth row:** Bobby Scott, Richard Odom, Phil Renfroe, Jerry Shelton, Benny Forest.

No brakes, broken headlights, cracked windshield, faulty heater, and a flat tire—best bus at West!

"Safety First" is the motto of West's student transporters. **Front:** Linda Doub, Bobby Doby, Lee Bowen, James Melton, Charles Tatum, Larry Tesh, Tommie Beeding, Roger Carpenter, Ken Gerry, Leonard Algood, Ron Slater. **Back:** Mike Warden, Mark Wein, Damon Pope, Bobby Crutchfield, Sammy Roberts, R. Mike Holder.

Titans

It's 8:20. Halls overflow with chattering students. Lockers slam, notebooks click, shouted hellos ring down halls, and hands shoot above heads to wave good morning. Bells ring. It's 8:25. Cluttered halls suddenly become no man's land. A straggler dashes for homeroom, only to return a moment later and head for the office. Thus the day begins like any other day.

And the day ends like many other days. Sixth-period teachers inject even more spirit and motivation into lectures to keep Titans alert and active. Then at 3:15, the speed of mad dashers to parking lots puts the track team to shame.

Marks are made everyday—whether it be in teachers' grade books or on another person. School work is important. Fulfillment is reached by working with the class on proms and projects, such as spirit weeks and candy sales. It's fun to out-yell other classes on the class cheer.

Class spirit is great, but working with all classes is exhilarating when the outcome makes West a better place. Stamping a good mark is the aim of every class. Aims go toward the targets, but the hits are what count.

Minick

Senior Class president Jeff Minick towers over his fellow officers Melle Lee Stimpson, treasurer, and Debbie Rice, secretary.

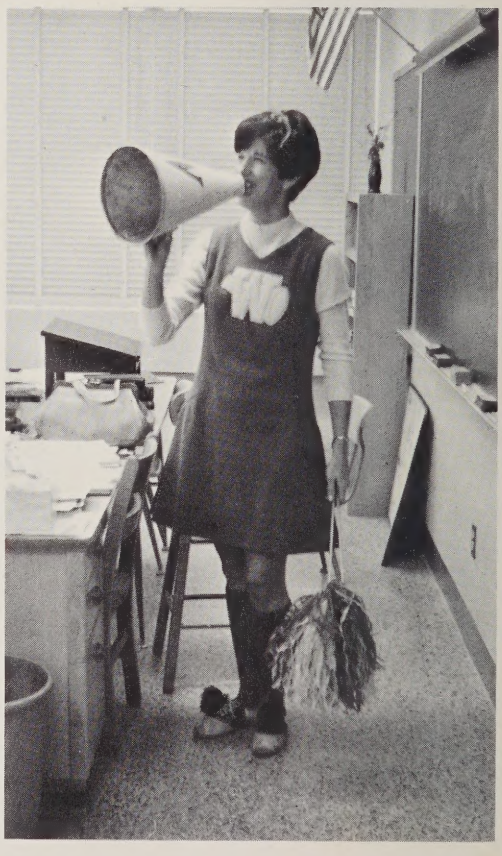
When the seniors of '69 examine their final year, they will find that they provided a foundation of accomplishment for upcoming leaders to build on. They put their unlimited energy into student government by helping to write a new constitution for West.

Applications, college boards, and class rings were some of the many experiences exclusive to seniors. But there will always be fond memories of joining the sophomores and juniors in pep rallies, sports events, dramatic productions, dances, queen selections and student government.

The year of '69 at West was like many before it except for one thing: The seniors of '69 provided the leadership and experience necessary for a successful school year. The Class of 1969 made its mark of achievement, a mark that will never be erased.

"**Just think** . . . this is the last year I have to put up with this mass confusion!"

"**The senior class has got the** shoo-bop-shee-doo-bee-doo-bee-doo!" Mrs. Mast cheers on the upperclassmen during Spirit Week.



urges seniors to climb higher

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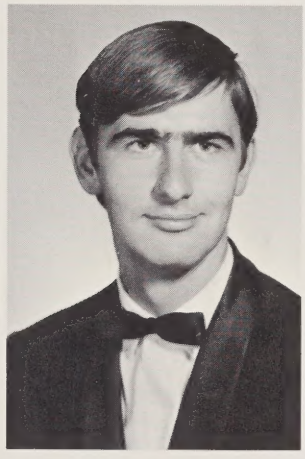

Richard Lyle Bachmann

Sharon Lee Baldwin

Barbara Antionette Aaron
Follies 4; Play 4.

Beverly Sue Adams
Student Council 3,4, Treas. 3,4, Comm. 3,4; HR Pres. 2; National Honor Society 3,4; Jr. Marshal 3; Titanides 3,4; Office Asst. 3; F.H.A. 2; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3; Play 3.

Sharon Lynn Alexander
F.H.A. 2,3; HR V. Pres. 2.

Elsbeth Pryer Allcorn
Student Council 4, Comm. 4; HR Pres. 3; Jr. Marshal 3; Meistersingers 3,4; Ping Pong 3,4; Speedball 2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Follies 2,3,4; Play 3,4; Governor's School 1967.

Pamela Ann Alspaugh
F.H.A. 2,3; D.E. Club 4, Historian 4.

Reva Enett Ayers
Teacher Asst. 2,3,4; Library Club 2,3,4, V. Pres. 4; Library Asst. 4; Y-Teens 3.

Richard Lyle Bachmann
F.T.A. 3; D.E. Club 4.

Sharon Lee Baldwin
HR Sec.-Treas. 2, HR V. Pres. 3,4; Annual Staff 2; Titanides 3,4; Color Guard 2; F.H.A. 2,3,4; Pep Club 4; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3; Play 3.

Susan Elizabeth Barber
Bus driver 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2.

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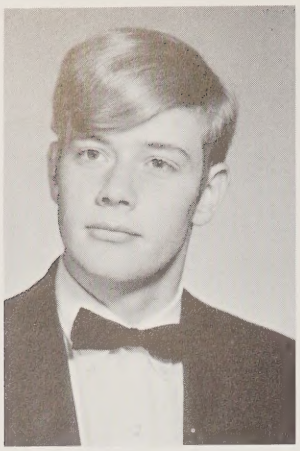
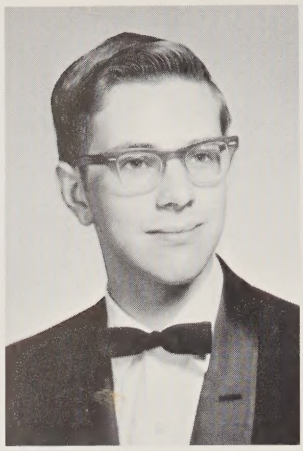


Thomas Gary Bass



Mark Christopher Baynes
Honor Graduate

Thomas Gary Bass
Football 2,3; Track 2; Wrestling 3.

Mark Christopher Baynes

Sharon Lynn Bean
Titanides 2,3,4; Teacher Asst. 3,4; Library Asst. 3; F.T.A. 3,4, V. Pres. 4; Y-Teens 3; Follies 3; Play 3; Intramural Basketball 4, Speedball 4, Ping Pong 4, Softball 4, Volleyball 4.

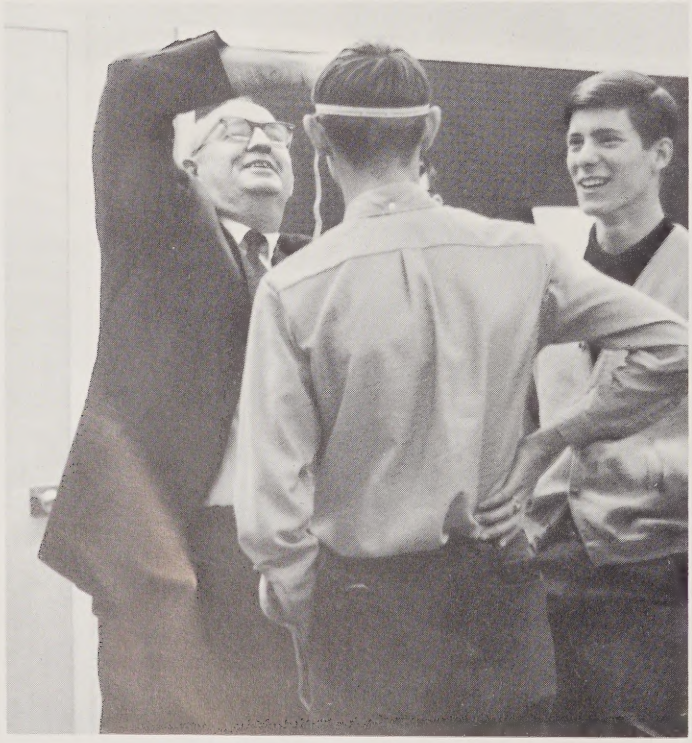
Polly Ann Beauchamp
D.E. Club 4.

Linda Belle Beck

Rhonda Gray Beck
Newspaper Staff 2; Pep Club 2; Play 2,3; D.E. Club 4, Sec. 4.

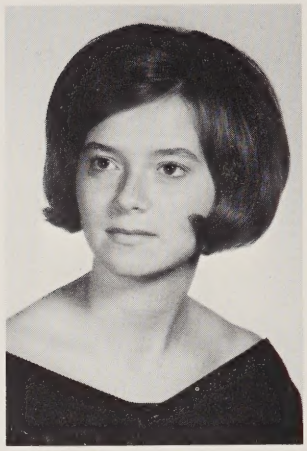
Thomas Edward Beeding
HR Sec.-Treas. 4; Basketball 2; Bus driver 3,4.

Michael Charles Bell
V.I.C.A. Club 3,4.



Mr. Simpson is continually trying to find new ways of measuring intelligence. (J.H. Bryant and Francis Powell)

Simpson finds



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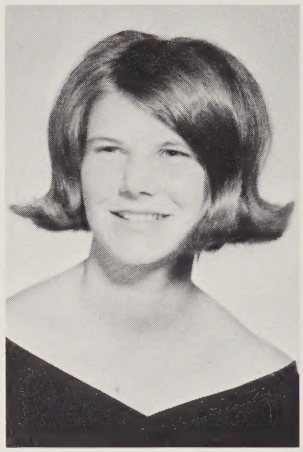

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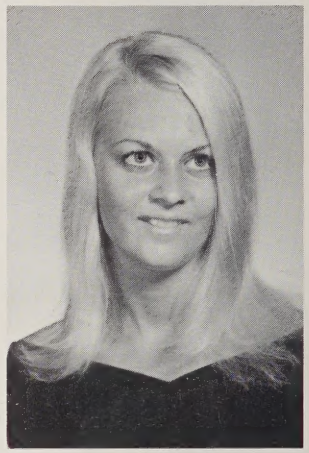

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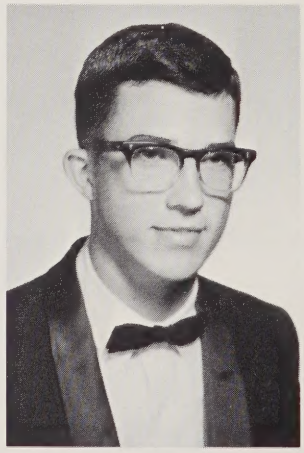

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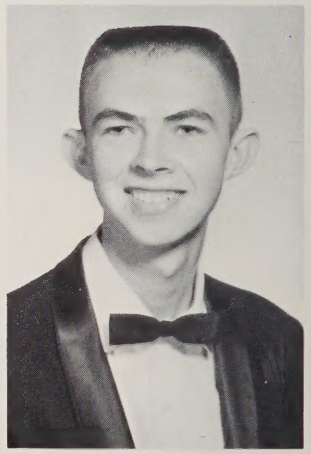
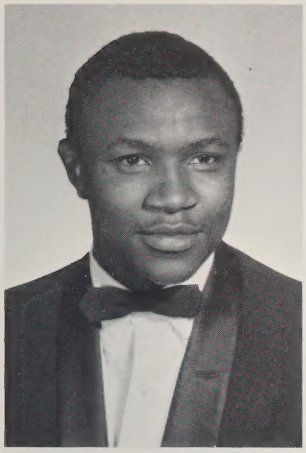


Michael Charles Bell

seniors measure up



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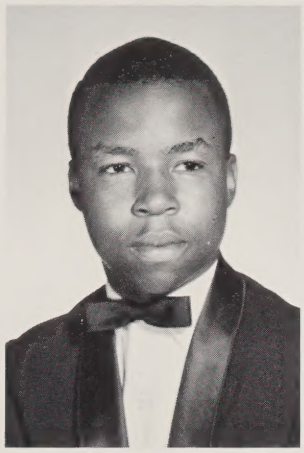

Moses Belton, Jr.

Arthur Lee Belton
Bus driver 3,4; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4.

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Wesley Hunter Beroth
HR V. Pres. 2, HR Sec.-Treas. 3; Baseball 2; Wrestling 3; Pep Club 3,4; Follies 3; Play 3,4.

Jo Ann Billings
Library Asst. 3,4.

Perry Gray Black
F.F.A. 3,4, V. Pres. 4; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4, Asst. Treas. 4.

Phyllis Sue Blackburn
Student Council Comm. 3,4; HR Pres. 2,4, HR V. Pres. 3; National Honor Society 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4, V. Pres. 4; Annual Staff 3,4, Business Mgr. 4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; F.H.A. 3; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 2.

Randal Clay Blankenship
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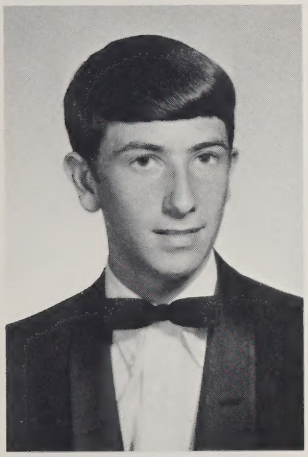

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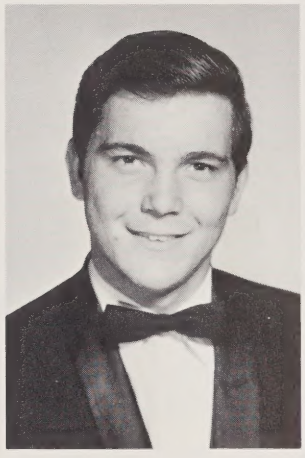

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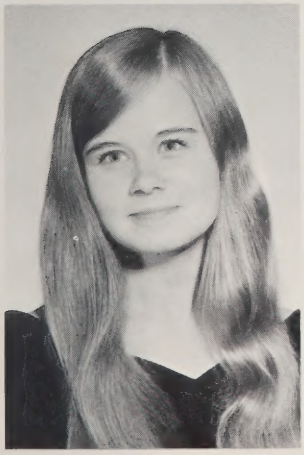

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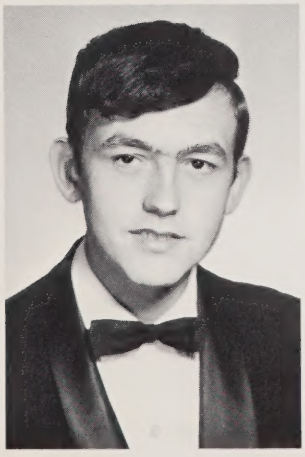

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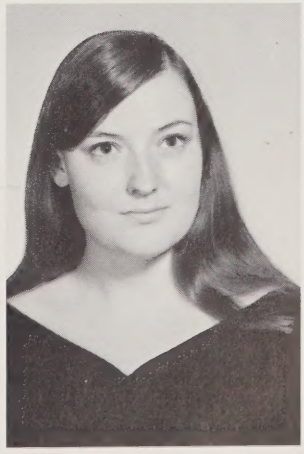

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Titanides 3,4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 3; Y-Teens 4; Play 3,4; Homecoming Court 3.

Linda Kaye Bottoms
Teacher Asst. 4; F.H.A. 2,3.

Lois Kaye Bowman
Annual Staff 2; Titanides 2; Teacher Asst. 3; D.E. Club 3,4, Reporter 4, Sweetheart 3, D.E. 5th District Sweetheart 3, D.E. Outstanding Girl 3, Sears Foundation Award 3.

Amelia Ann Branch

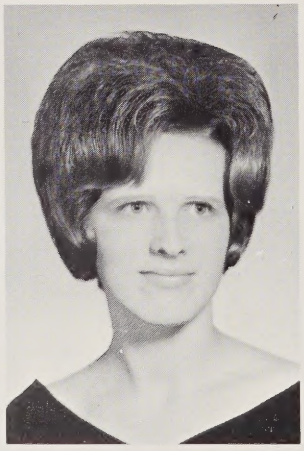
Deborah Lynn Brissenden
Student Council 3,4, Comm. 3,4; Jr. Marshal 3; Pep Club 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Titanides 2; Follies 2,3,4; Meistersingers 3,4; Homecoming Court 2,3,4.

Stanley Wayne Brown
Baseball 2,3,4; F.F.A. 2.

Susan

"Here comes Susan Lilly, marching down Titan lane!"

Lois Kaye Bowman



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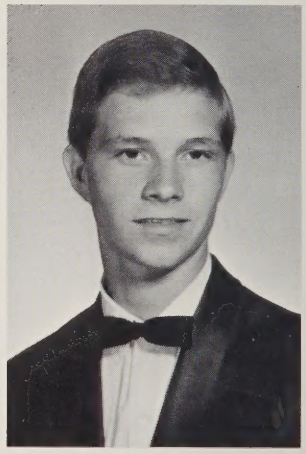
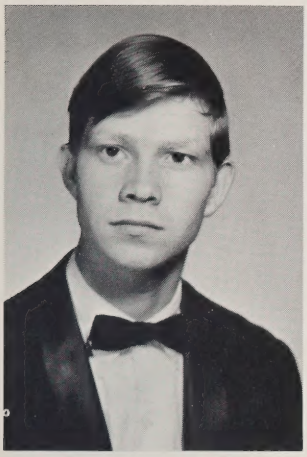


Stanley Wayne Brown

shows how seniors aim high



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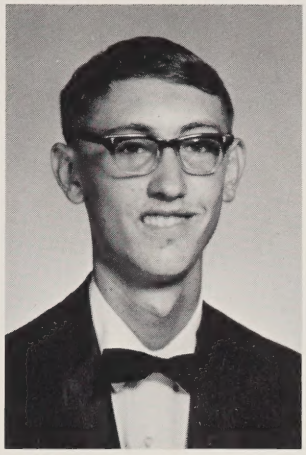

John Henry Bryant, Jr.

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Steven Henry Brown
Bus driver 4.

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Jacqueline Grey Burgess
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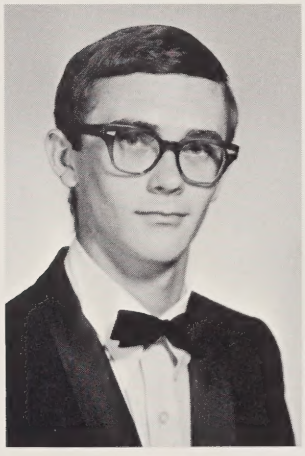
Stephen Burton
Cross Country 2.

Kenneth Gray Byerly
D.E. Club 3,4.

Terry Monroe Byerly
HR Pres. 4; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4, Treas. 3,4.

Roger Wade Carpenter
HR V. Pres. 2; Bus driver 4.

Paul Michael Chandler
Student Council 2, Comm. 3; National Honor Society 3,4; Key Club 3, 4; Jr. Marshal 3; Basketball Mgr. 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3; Track 2; Pep Club 2; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3; Follies 3; Play 3; Morehead Nominee 4.



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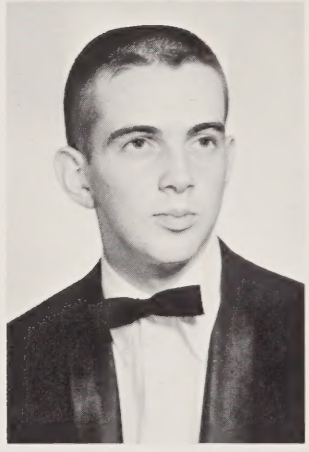

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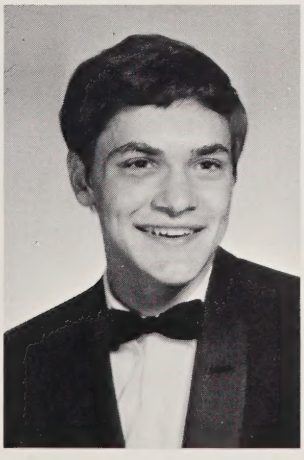

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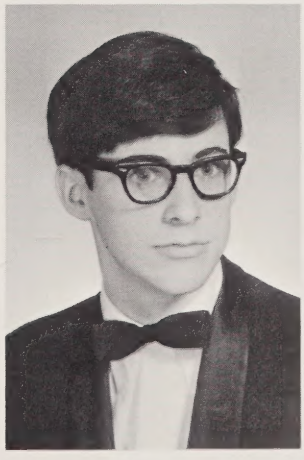


Paul Michael Chandler

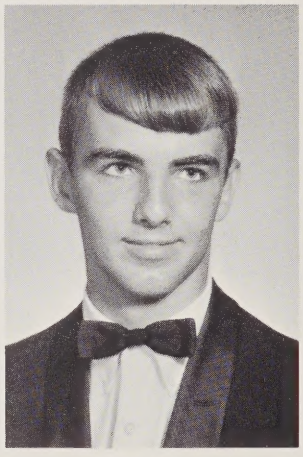
Keeping the senior class up-to-date on the student council activities is the job of the student council representatives. **Front:** Ellie Allcorn, Debbie Sheets, Tommie Moffitt, Pam Simmons, Debbie Brissenden, Debbie Day, Becky Gobble. **Back:** Mary Etchison, Jeff Minick, Ric Wagner, Trimella Wooten.

Neville Alson Chaney
Student Council 4, Pres. 4, Comm. 2; HR Pres. 3; Jr. Marshal Co-Chief 3; Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Football 2,3,4, Captain 4; All City-County Football Team 4; All Group 2 Central 4-A Football Team 4.

Anthony Scott Chappell
Student Council Comm. 3,4; HR V. Pres. 4; Quill and Scroll 3,4, Pres. 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Newspaper Staff 3,4, Editor-in-Chief 4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3,4, V. Pres. 4; Play 4; Campus Life Club 2,3,4, Sec.-Treas. 3; Inter-Club 4.

Donald Gray Cline
Library Asst. 3; F.F.A. 2,3; V.I.C.A. Club 4.

Alice Patricia Coffey
Basketball 2,3,4, Captain 4; Ping Pong 2,3,4; Softball 2,3,4; Speedball 2,3,4; Volleyball 2,3,4; Teacher Asst. 4; G.A.A. 2,3,4, Pres. 4; Inter-Club 4.



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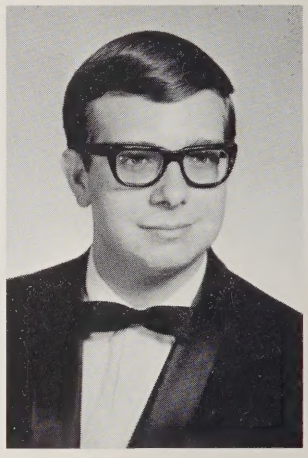

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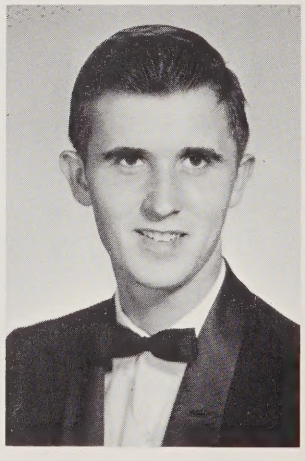

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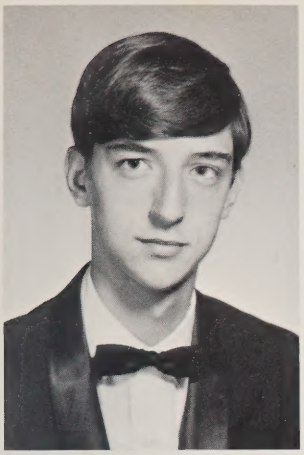

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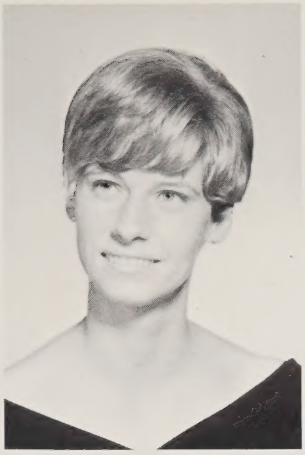


Peggy Sue Colbert

Dan Richard Cohn
Meistersingers 4; Track 2; Pep Club 2; Play 2,3,4.

Peggy Sue Colbert
HR Sec.-Treas. 3; Annual Staff 2; Titanides 3; Meistersingers 2,3; Pep Club 3; Follies 2,3; Play 3; D.E. Club 4.

Karen Gail Combs
Kailua High School, Hawaii 2; Madrigal Singers 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Meistersingers 3; Follies 3; D.E. Club 4. Sweetheart 4.

Thomas Raymond Combs
Baseball 2,3,4; Football 2,3,4.

Mary Ellen Comer
Glade Valley High School 2; Student Council 2; Soph. Class Sec. 2; West Forsyth 2,3,4; Pep Club 3; Play 4.

Gary Lee Conrad
HR Sec.-Treas. 2; Volleyball 3; Band 2,3,4; Follies 4.

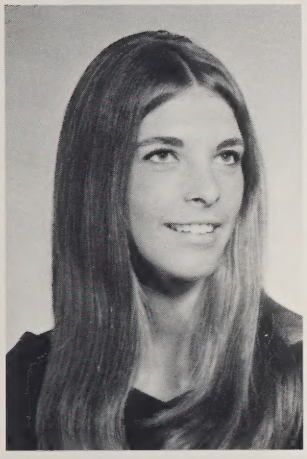
Judy Leigh Conrad
Student Council 2, Comm. 4; Jr. Class Sec. 3; HR Sec.-Treas. 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Majorette 2,3,4, Chief 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Follies 2; Play 2,3; Inter-Club 4, Treas. 4.

Deborah Sue Cooper
HR Pres. 3; Titanides 4; Teacher Asst. 4; Pep Club 3; Y-Teens 3,4.

Patricia Gail Coordson
Student Council Comm. 4; National Honor Society 4; Basketball 2,4; Teacher Asst. 3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4, V. Pres. 4; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4; Youth Council 3,4; Advanced Placement 4.

Mary Kathryn Copeland
Student Council Comm. 4; Titanides 3,4; Meistersingers 4; Teacher Asst. 4; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 2,3; Play 3; Jr. Achievement 3.

Eleven representatives are active in Council



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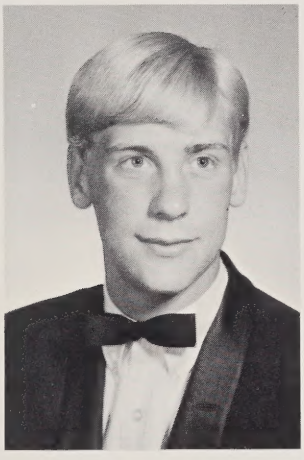

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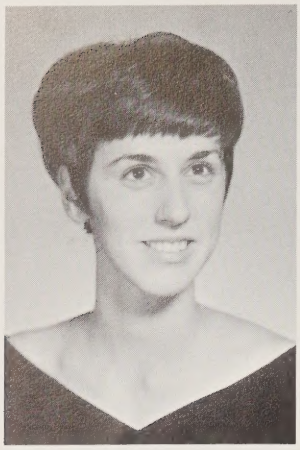
NHS taps twelve seniors



Anna Carol Craft

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Meistersingers 2,3,4; F.H.A. 4; Y-Teens 3; Follies 3,4.

Judy Dianne Cranfill
F.H.A. 4.

Charles Henry Craven, Jr.
Follies 2,3,4; Play 2,3,4; Jr. Achievement 3,4, Pres. 4.

Roy Adison Craver, Jr.
Baseball 2; Football 2; F.F.A. 2; D.E. Club 3,4.

Betty Dawn Davis
Student Council Comm. 4; National Honor Society 4; Basketball 2; Pep Club 2,3; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3.

Deborah Lynn Day
Student Council 3,4, Comm. 3,4; Jr. Marshal 3; Cheerleader 2,3,4, Co-Chief 4; Meistersingers 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3; Follies 2, 3,4; Homecoming Court 3, Queen 4; Snow Court 3; Valentine Court 3.

Phyllis Ann Dinkins
F.H.A. 3,4, Treas. 4; Pep Club 4; Play 3; Ping Pong 4; Softball 3; Speedball 4; Volleyball 3.

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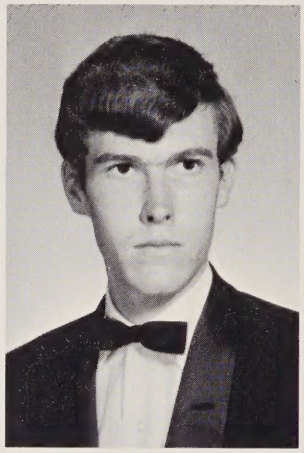

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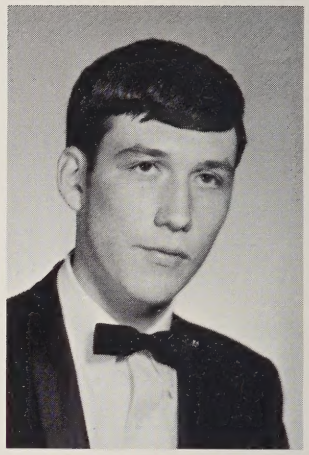

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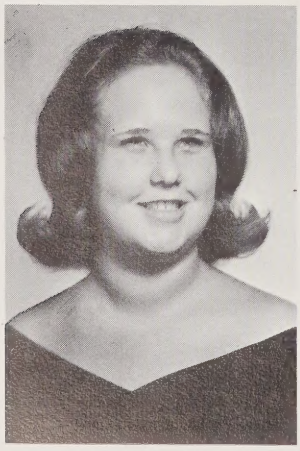

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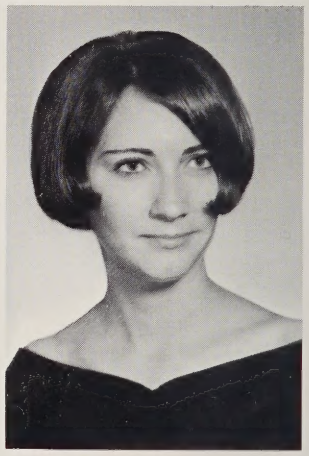


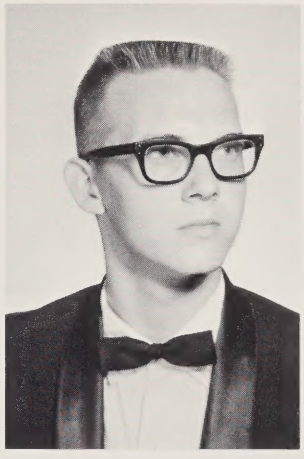
Janice Carole Doub

in fall ritual

Carolyn Simmons displays unexpected happiness as Monica Hedgecock taps her during NHS induction.

Linda Gray Doub
Honor Graduate

Susan Anne Dull



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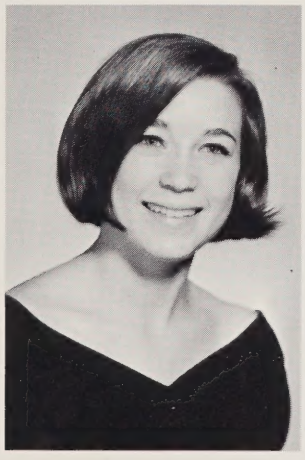


Kathryn Cecelia Ebert

Linda Gray Doub
Student Council Comm. 4; HR V. Pres. 2,3, HR Pres. 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Bus driver 3,4; Play 3; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3,4, Sec. 2,3,4; Eta Sigma Phi Latin Award 3.

Susan Anne Dull
Meistersingers 3,4; F.H.A. 2; Pep Club 3; Y-Teens 4; Jr. Achievement 4.

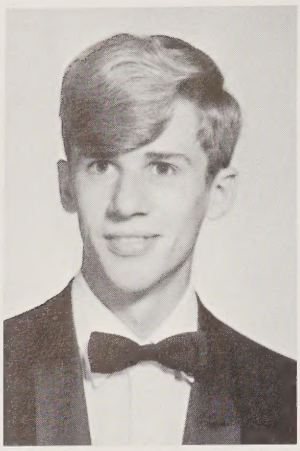
Terry Mayo Dull
Basketball 2; Track 2,3,4.

Teresa Marcell Dunn
Teacher Asst. 4; Follies 3; Play 3.

Donna Lee Dyke
George Washington High School, W. Va. 2,3; Library Asst. 2; Youth for Christ 3; Dance Club 3; West Forsyth 4; Play 4.

Kathryn Cecelia Ebert
HR Pres. 2; Valentine Court 3,4.

There is no monotony for a West senior



Fred Elliott, Jr.

Mary Louise Etchison

Fred Elliott, Jr.
HR Pres. 2; Annual Staff 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Bus driver 3,4; Pep Club 3; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3,4; Jr. Achievement 3; School Photographer 4.

Mary Louise Etchison
Student Council 2,3,4, Comm. 2,3,4; Soph. Class Sec. 2; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Annual Staff 2,3,4, Editor-in-Chief 4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Jr. Marshal 3; Y-Teens 4; Student of the Month 3; Follies 2; Play 3,4; Key Club Sweetheart 4; Homecoming Court 4; Youth Council 3; Inter-Club 4; Teen Page Correspondent 3.

Rodney Edward Evans
Cross Country 2; Wrestling 2,3.

Mary Ann Farrell
Student Council Comm. 2; HR V. Pres. 3, HR Sec.-Treas. 4; National Honor Society 4; Newspaper Staff 2,4; Titanides 2,3; Majorette 4; Pep Club 2,3; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Play 2.

Charles Carroll Fishburne, Jr.
HR V. Pres. 2; Golf 4; Volleyball 3; Follies 3; Play 3.

Brian Bradford Fisher
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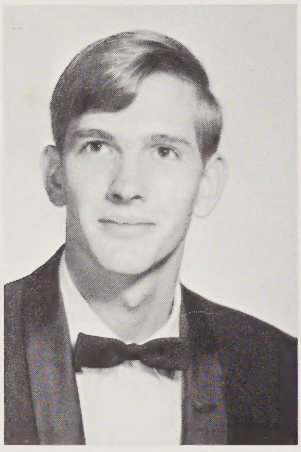

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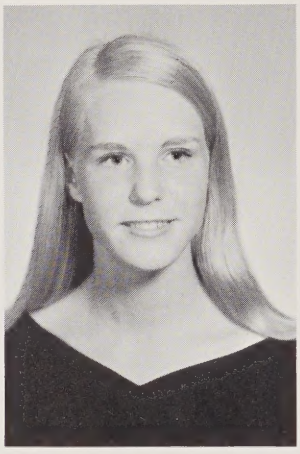

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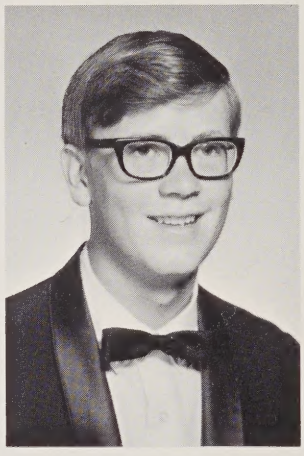

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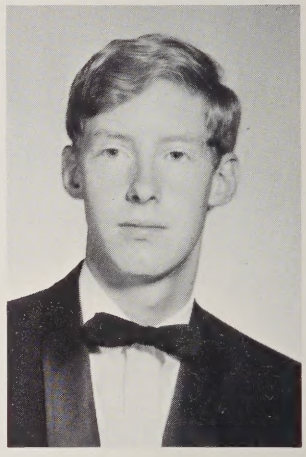

Brian Bradford Fisher
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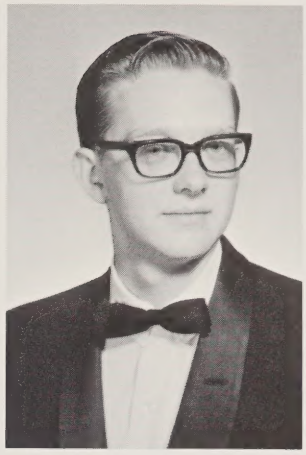
Posing as voodoo dolls, Chip Fishburne, Pam Simmons, and Kelley Hayes entertain the natives on the Isle of the Western Wind.

A day in the life of a senior. (Jerry Shelton)



Timothy Alan Fisher

Thomas Harrison Fix

Timothy Alan Fisher
Track 2.

Thomas Harrison Fix
HR Officer 2; Play 2.

Richard Keerans Fletcher
Football 2; F.F.A. 2,4; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4, V. Pres. 4.

Deborah Sue Franklin
Newspaper Staff 2; Y-Teens 3; Play 3.

Sandra Darlene Franklin
Student Council Comm. 2; Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4.

Vicki Lynn Frazier
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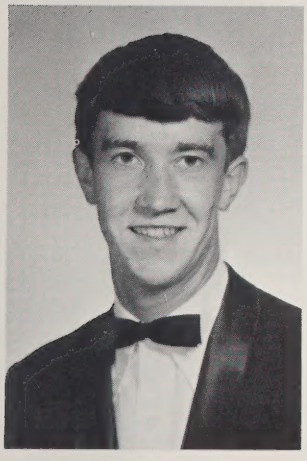

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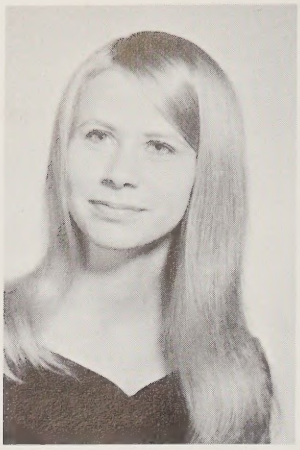

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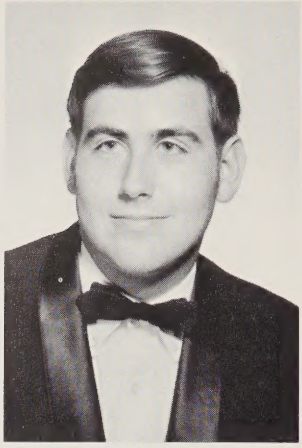

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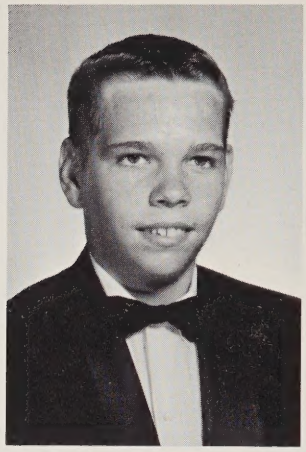

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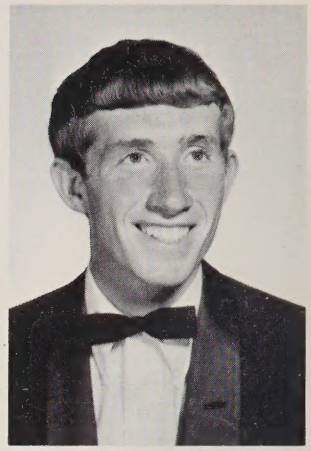


Bobby Ray Garner

Four Titans are National

Gaye Nifong Fulton

Michael Carnell Gaines
Jr. Engineers-Science Club 3.

William Nathan Galloway
North Davidson High School 2,3; Football 2,3; West Forsyth 4; Band 4.

Bobby Ray Garner
Football 2; Bus driver 3; D.E. Club 3; Student Council Comm. 4.

Shireen Elizabeth Giles
Pep Club 3; Play 3; Office Asst. 3; Jr. Achievement 4.

Michael Gray Goad

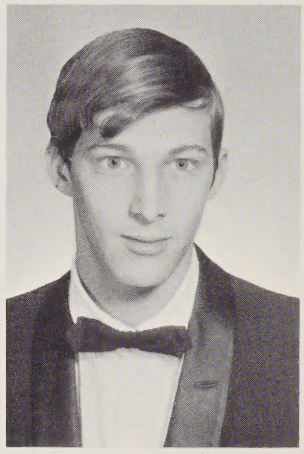
Rebecca Floy Gobble
Student Council 4, Comm. 4; HR Pres. 3; National Honor Society 4; Jr. Marshal 3; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Meistersingers 4; Office Asst. 4; Pep Club 3,4; Follies 3,4; Homecoming Court 3,4; Snow Queen 4.

Deborah Ann Gray
Fort Towson High School, Okla. 2, 3,4; Library Asst. 4; F.T.A. 3; Pep Club 3; F.F.A. Queen 4; West Forsyth 4.

Doris Lee Griffin
Parkland High School 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Pep Club 4; Y-Teens 3,4.

Timothy Clayton Gurganus
Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4, Co-Captain 3,4; Cross Country 3.

Shireen Elizabeth Giles



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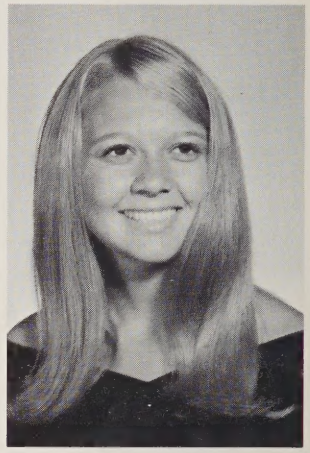

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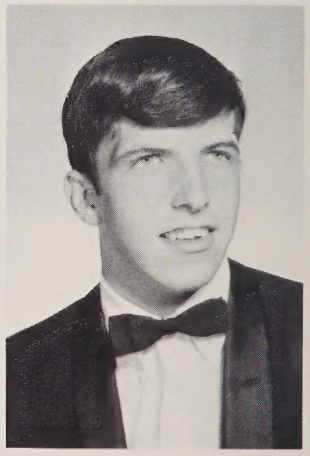


Timothy Clayton Gurganus

What now? Debbie Smith and Amelia Branch check college and job bulletin board outside the guidance office.

Jerry Orman Haga
Baseball 2; F.F.A. 2,3,4, Treas. 3; D.E. Club 3,4, V. Pres. 3.

Sarah Catherine Hall
Student Council Comm. 3,4; Titanides 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; Follies 3; Play 3,4; Homecoming Court 3.

Doris Anne Hamby
Hr Sec.-Treas. 2, HR V. Pres. 4; Titanides 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Meistersingers 4; Volleyball 4; Office Asst. 4; Follies 4; Play 4.

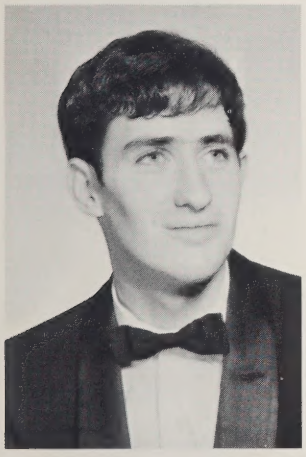
Jane Alice Hampton
Annual Staff 2; Basketball 2; Ping Pong 4; Softball 4; Volleyball 4; F.H.A. 4; Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 2,3,4.

Paul Steven Hardy
Basketball 2; Cross Country 2; Track 2.

Colleen Harmon
Student Council 3, Comm. 2,3,4; Soph. Class Treas. 2; HR Sec.-Treas. 4; Titanides 2,3,4, Choreographer 4; Y-Teens 3; Follies 2,3; Play 3.

Myllicent Kaye Harper
Annual Staff 3; Newspaper Staff 3.

Merit Semi-finalists



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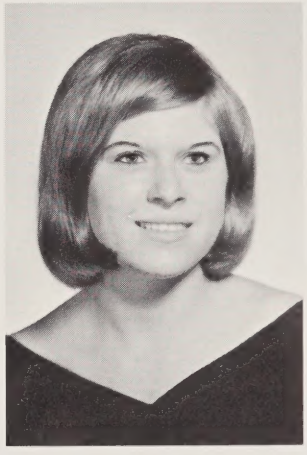

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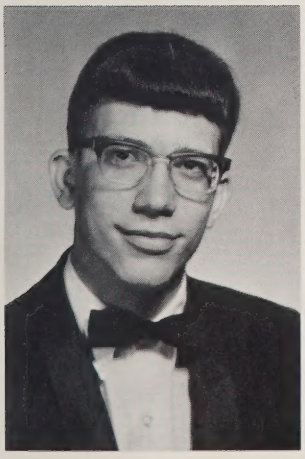

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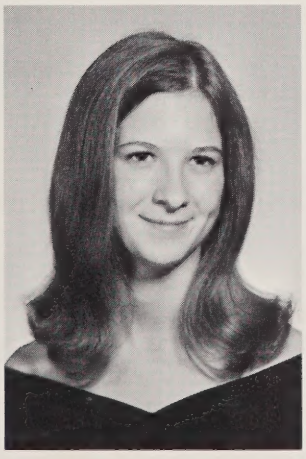

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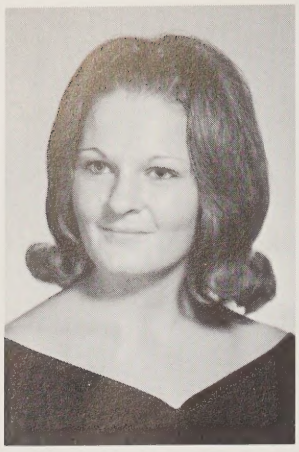
Apron-clad boys



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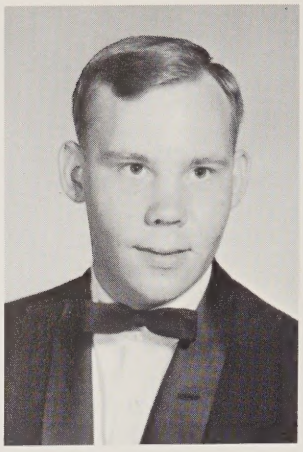

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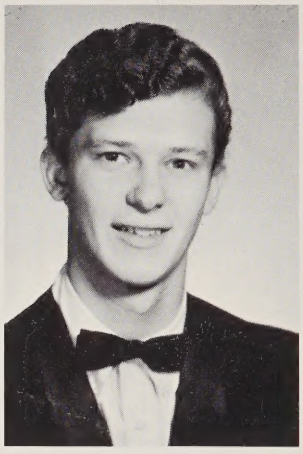

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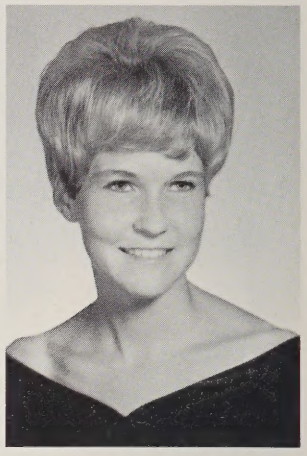

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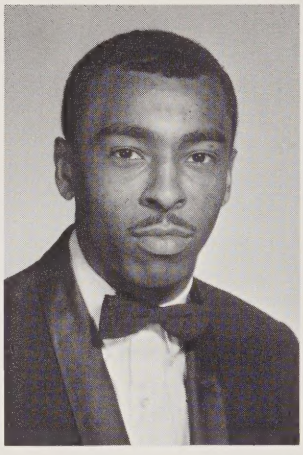

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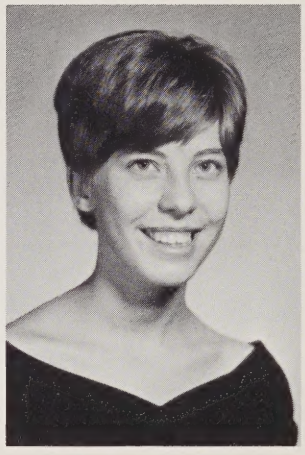

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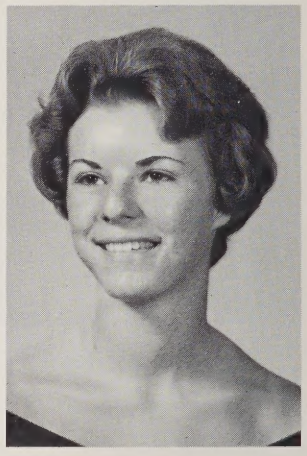

Monica Leah Hedgecock
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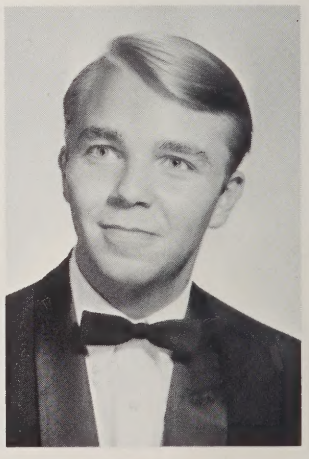

James Edward Herman, Jr.

Vicky Lou Harper
Softball 2; F.H.A. 2.

Jerry Lee Hauser
Band 2,3,4, Drum Major 4; Follies 2,3,4.

Martin Lee Hauser, Jr.

Vicki Lynn Hauser
Student Council 2; Titanides 2,3,4, Choreographer 3,4; Y-Teens 4; Play 2, 3,4; Follies 2,3,4; Valentine Court 3,4.

Vivian Catherine Hauser
Newspaper Staff 2; Library Asst. 2,3; F.H.A. 2,3; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 2,3; D.E. Club 4.

David Bernard Hawkins
Basketball 2,3; Football 2,3; Track 2,3; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4.

Johnnie Elaine Hawkins
Student Council Comm. 2,3,4; HR Sec.-Treas. 3; Titanides 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2; Pep Club 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4.

Monica Leah Hedgecock
HR Pres. 4; National Honor Society 3,4. Pres. 4; Library Asst. 3; F.H.A. 2; Pep Club 3,4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2; Play 2,3; Youth Council 4; Inter-Club 4.

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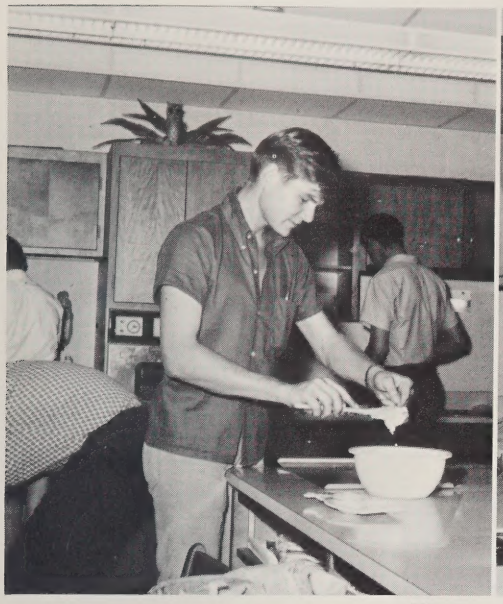
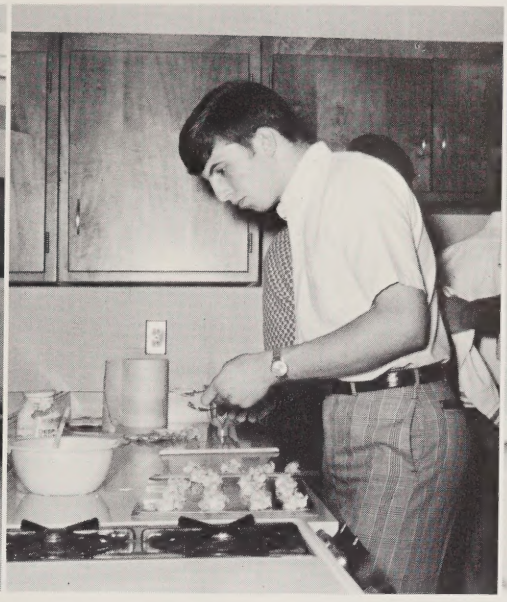
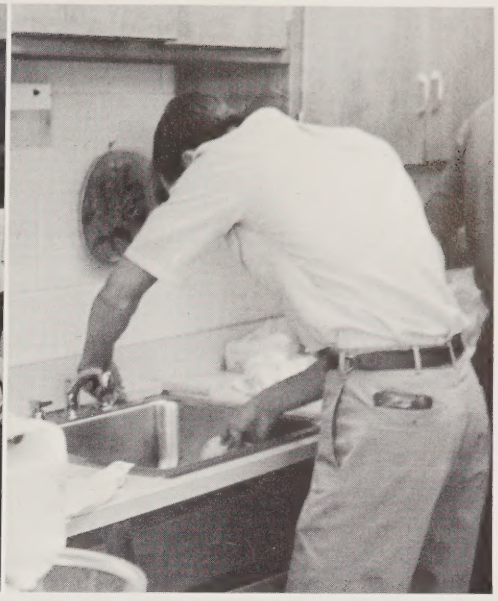
struggle with their home-work



Bobby Scott: I stir . . .

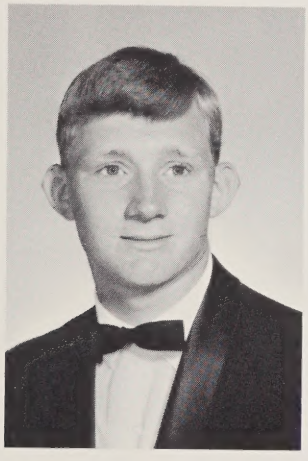


Tim Gurganus: I bake . . .



Roger Horton: But I have to clean up!

Victoria Lynn Hersh



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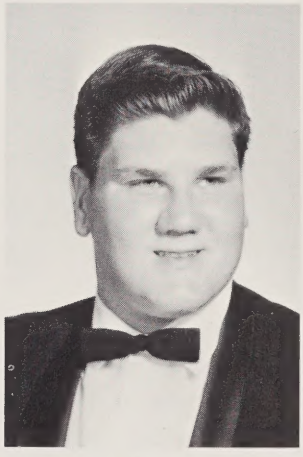

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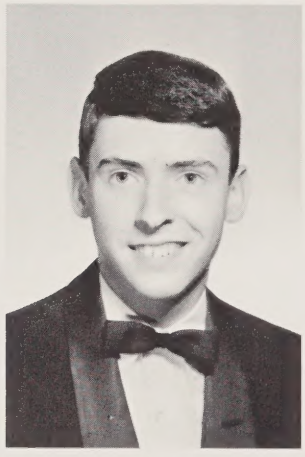

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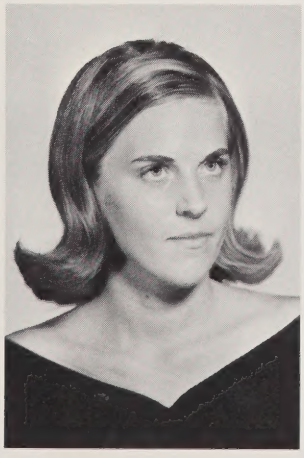


Rebecca Sue Horton

Victoria Lynn Hersh
West Springfield High School, Va. 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Teacher Asst. 3; Y-Teens 4; Play 4.

Robah Edward Hicks, Jr.
Bus driver 3,4; Meistersingers 4.

Ronald Gray Hicks
Bus driver 3,4.

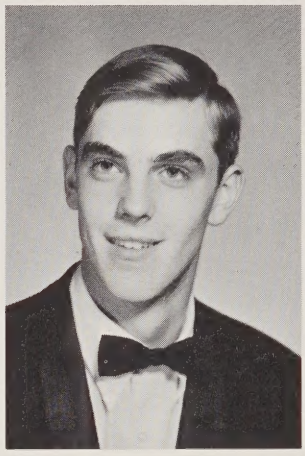
Howard David Hill
Student Council Comm. 4; HR V. Pres. 2; Pep Club 2,3; Play 2,3.

Janet Elaine Holland
HR V. Pres. 3; Pep Club 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3; Play 3,4.

Rebecca Sue Horton
Titanides 4; Pep Club 2; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4.

Spoofing and stepping prove

"**Miss Tommy** McKay" represented Parkland during the homecoming pep rally.



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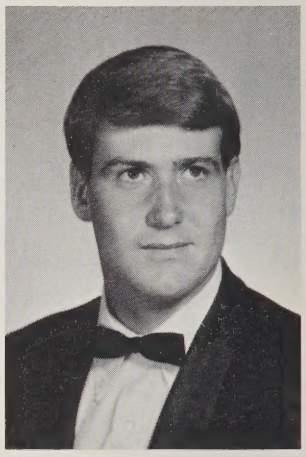
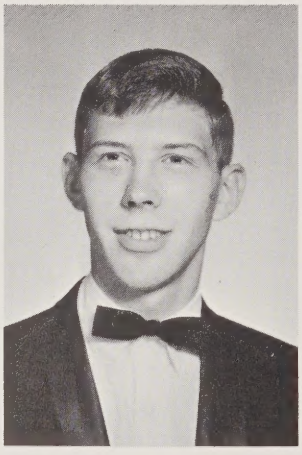


Kenneth Ray Howell

Gail Suzanne Huston
Honor Graduate



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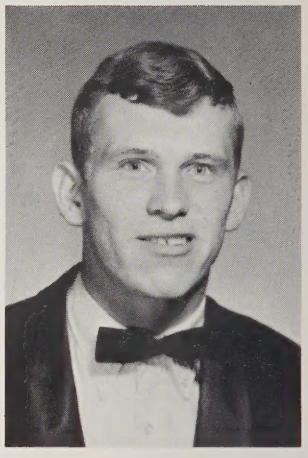


James Ronald Hunt, Jr.

Roger William Horton
HR V. Pres. 4; Basketball 2.

Kenneth Ray Howell
Football 2; F.F.A. 2,3,4; D.E. Club 4, Asso. Pres. 4.

Nancy Gail Howell
Campus Life Club 3,4, Chaplain 3, V. Pres. 4.

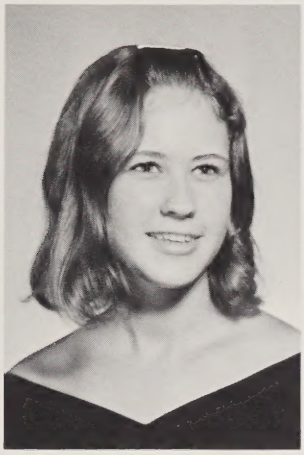
James Ronald Hunt, Jr.
Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Football 2,3,4; F.F.A. 3,4.

Gail Suzanne Huston
Student Council 2,4, Sec. 4, Comm. 4; HR Sec.-Treas. 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Teacher Asst. 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Follies 2; Play 3; Governor's School 1968; National Merit Semi-Finalist 4.

Samuel Winstead Hutchins
D.E. Club 4.

seniors are with it

Victoria Jean Inman



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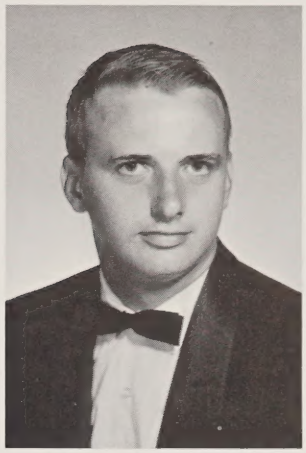

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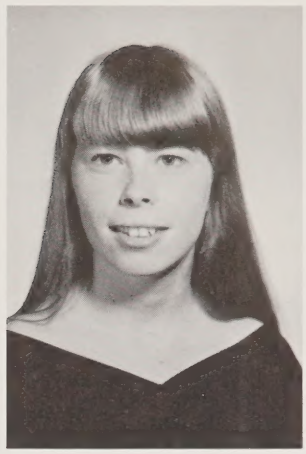

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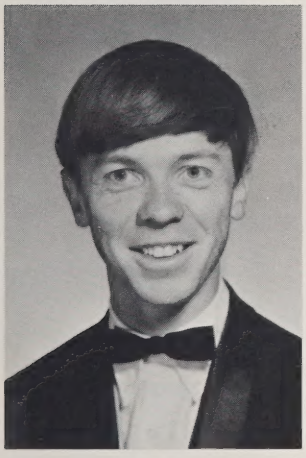

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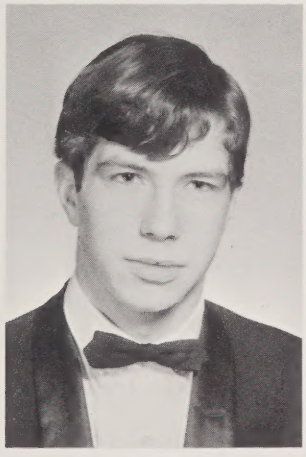


Stephen Wayne Johnson

Billie Joyce, Susan Pratt, and Jackie Burgess receive two-year drill team charms from Miss Currin.

Victoria Jean Inman
Teacher Asst. 2; F.H.A. 2,3; D.E. Club 4, Parliamentarian 4.

Virginia Elizabeth Iobst
HR Pres. 2,3,4; National Honor Society 4; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Volleyball 2.

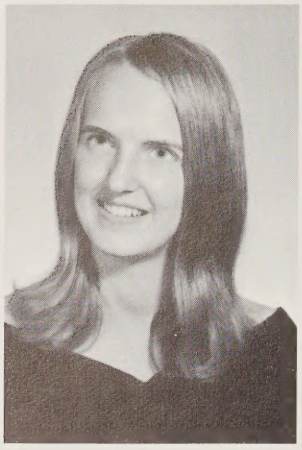
Bruce Michael James
Bus driver 2,3,4; F.F.A. 2,3,4.

Donna Carol Johnson
Teacher Asst. 3; F.H.A. 4; F.T.A. 4; Follies 3; Play 3.

Sammy Eugene Johnson
HR Pres. 2; Annual Staff 3; Newspaper Staff 3; D.E. Club 4.

Stephen Wayne Johnson
Reynolds High School 3; West Forsyth 2,4; Follies 4.

It's a breeze for these leaders



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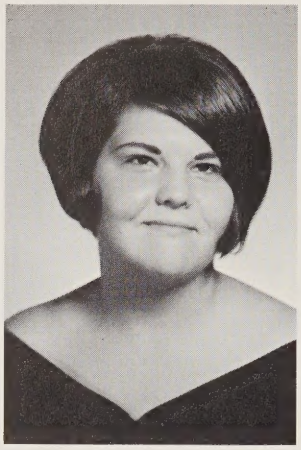


Brenda Gay Jones
Honor Graduate

Beverly Jean Jones
Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Play 2,3.

Brenda Gay Jones
Y-Teens 3,4; Pep Club 3,4.

Donald Thomas Jones
Football 2,3,4; Golf 2,3,4; Wrestling 3; F.F.A. 3; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4.

Durwood Ray Jones
North Davidson High School 2; West Forsyth 3,4; F.F.A. 2,3,4.

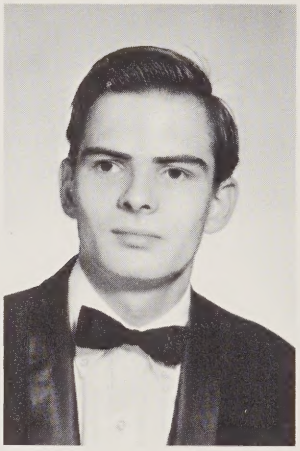
Judy Lynn Jones
D.E. Club 3,4.

Lynda Carolyn Jones
Newspaper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4.

Billie Kane Joyce
Student Council Comm. 3; HR Sec.-Treas. 2; Annual Staff 2; Titanides 2,3,4
Pep Club 2,3; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3; Play 2,3.

Frances Carol Joyner
HR Sec.-Treas. 2; Meistersingers 4; Office Asst. 3,4; F.H.A. 2,3,4.

Donald Thomas Jones



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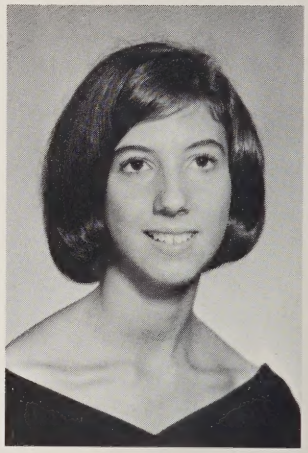

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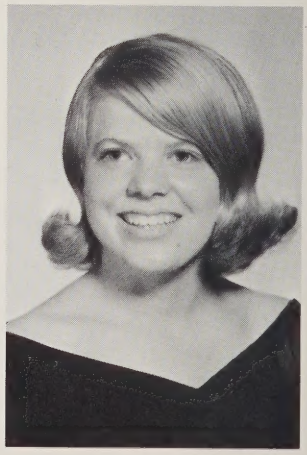
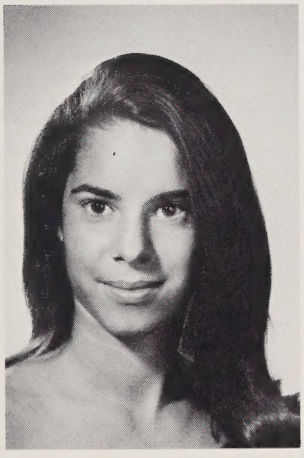


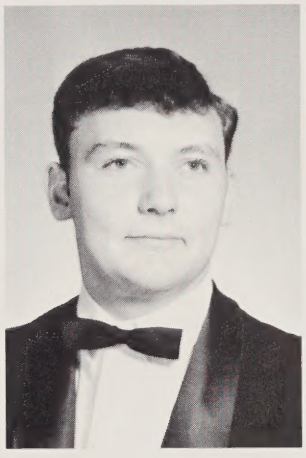
Frances Carol Joyner

Senior homeroom presidents compose the vice-presidency of the senior executive council. Discussing class activities are Debbie Rice, Susan Pratt, Monica Hedgecock, Linda Doub, Ginny Iobst, Mitch Stover, Susan Lilly, Wanda Wooten, Terry Byerly, and Phyllis Blackburn.

Carol Ann Ketner



Karen Sue Keyser



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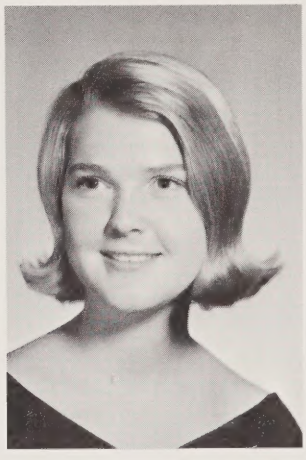


Jane Kimel

Carol Ann Ketner
Meistersingers 4; Y-Teens 4.

Karen Sue Keyser
HR V. Pres. 3; National Honor Society 4; Ping Pong 2,3,4; Softball 3,4; Speedball 2,3,4; Volleyball 2,3,4; F.H.A. 3,4; Teacher Asst. 4; G.A.A. 2,3,4, Treas. 4; Pep Club 4; Follies 2,3,4; Play 2,3,4.

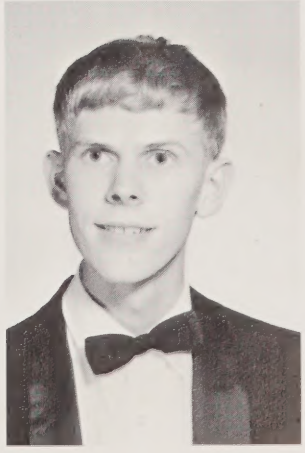
Michael Charles Kidd
Football 2,4.

Jane Kimel
HR Sec.-Treas. 2, HR V. Pres. 4; Meistersingers 3,4; F.H.A. 3,4, Sec. 4; Follies 3,4.

Mary Anne Kimel
Student Council Comm. 4; Teacher Asst. 2,3,4; Library Asst. 4; Library Club 4, Sec. 4; F.T.A. 2,3,4, Sec. 3. Reporter 4; Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 3; Play 3.

Calvin Lee Kimmer
D.E. Club 3,4.

Mary Anne Kimel



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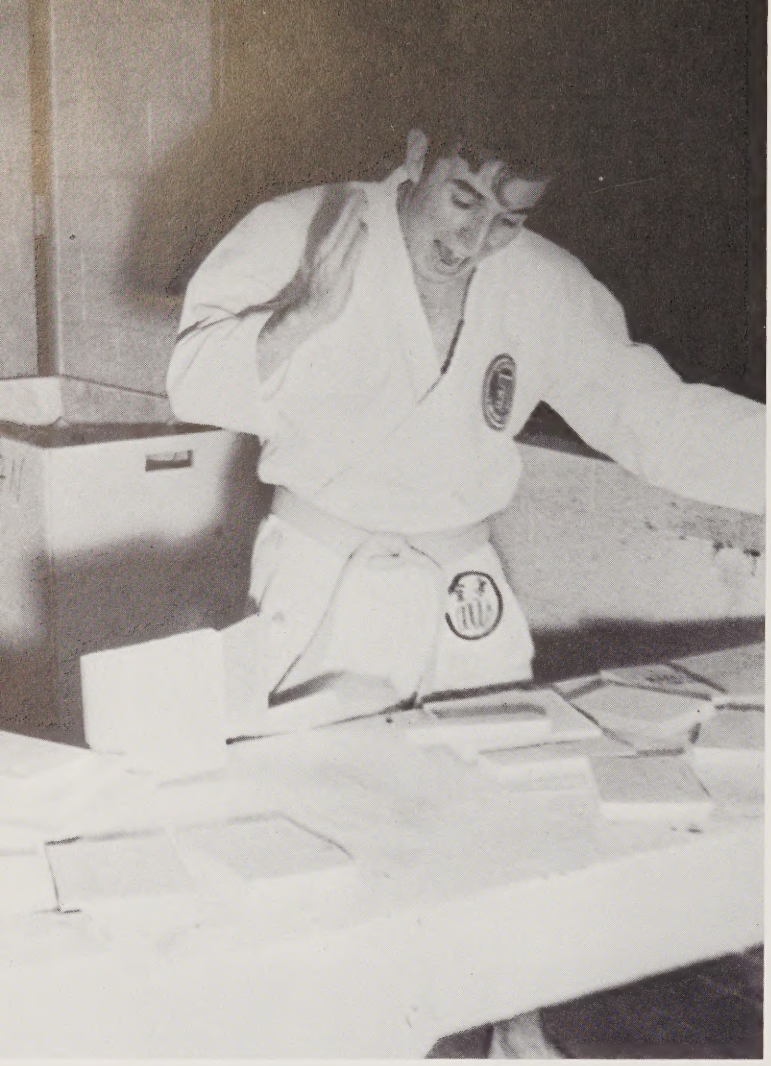
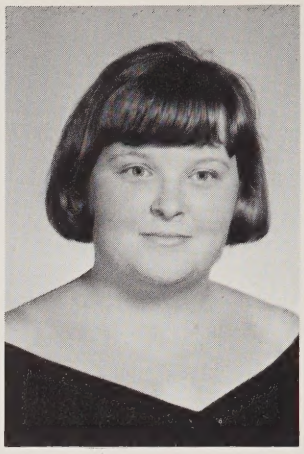


"Yahh! Uhh! Arhh!" In preparation for an assembly sponsored by the Key Club, Rick Lunsford uses his skill in karate to split blocks of wood.



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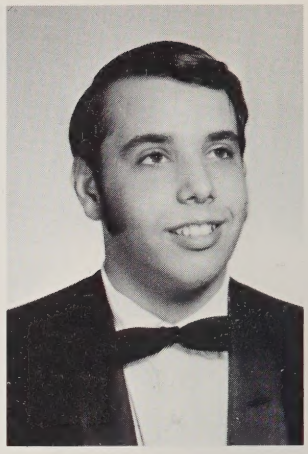

Jerry Lee Klein

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Doreen Sharon Klaus
Central High School, Neb. 2; Red Cross 2; Spanish Club 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Student Council Comm. 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Ping Pong 4; Library Club 2,3,4, Pres. 4; Pep Club 2,3,4.

Jerry Lee Klein
Student Council Comm. 4; Pep Club 3; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4; Best Actor 67-68; Governor's School 1967; Advanced Placement 4.

David Merle Konkler
Reynolds High School 2; Swimming Team 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Football 4; Teacher Asst. 4.

Susan Lynn Landreth
Meistersingers 3; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Follies 2,3,4; play 2,3,4.

Michael Lee Lashmit
Baseball 2; Bus driver 2; F.F.A. 2,3,4; V.I.C.A. Club 4.

Rodney Keith Lawson
HR V. Pres. 2,3; Jr. Marshal 3; Baseball 2,3,4, Co-Capt. 3; Basketball 2,3,4, Capt. 4, Best Sport 3; Cross Country 3.

David Merle Konkler

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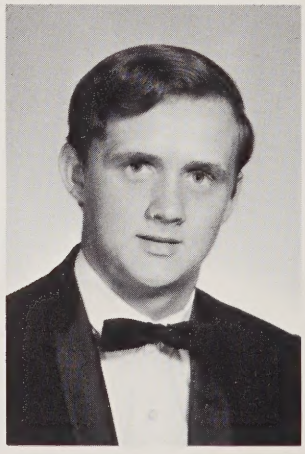

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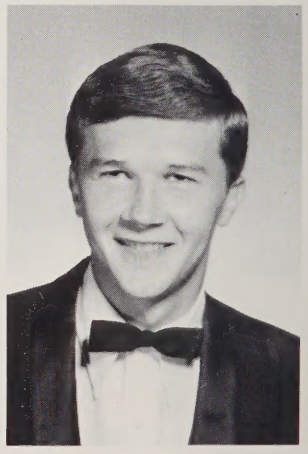

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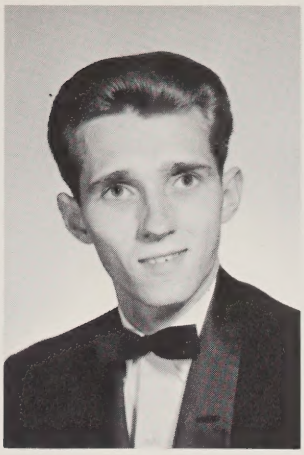
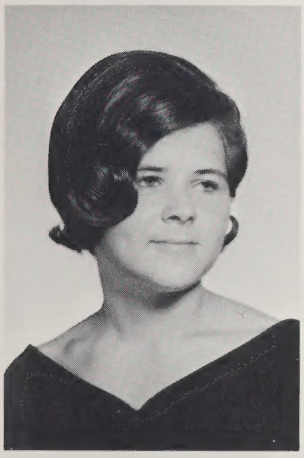


Garnette Dwight Leftwich

Susan Elizabeth Lilly

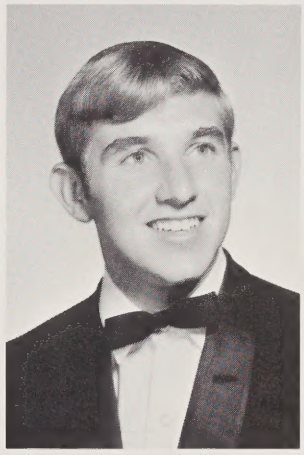
Peggy Ann Logan

another unusual senior extra



Janie Marie Long

Martha Ann Lunsford



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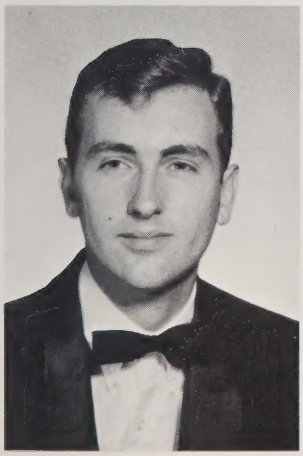

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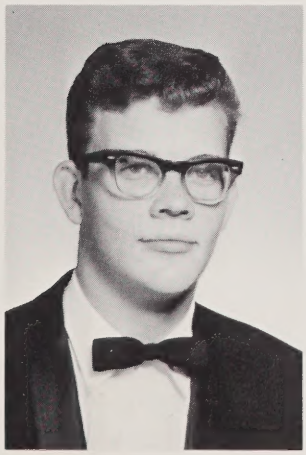

Darrell Wayne Lyons

Joe Mark Leagans
Meistersingers 3; Bus driver 2,3,4; F.F.A. 4; Follies 2.

Garnette Dwight Leftwich
F.F.A. 2,3,4.

Susan Elizabeth Lilly
Student Council 2,3, Comm. 3; HR pres. 4; National Honor Society 4; Cheerleader 2, Chief 2; Majorette 4; F.H.A. 3.

Peggy Ann Logan

Janie Marie Long
Teacher Asst. 4; F.H.A. 4; Pep Club 4; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4.

Martha Ann Lunsford
Student Council Comm. 4; Softball 4; Teacher Asst. 3,4; Band 2,3,4; F.H.A. 4; Follies 2,3,4; Play 2,3,4; Campus Life Club 4.

Richard Taylor Lunsford
Bus driver 3,4; Pep Club 3.

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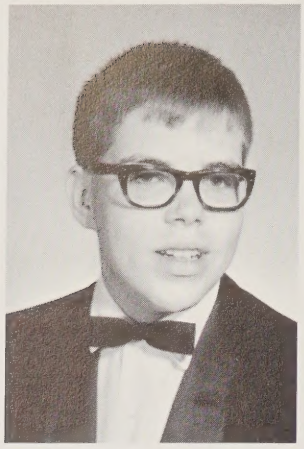

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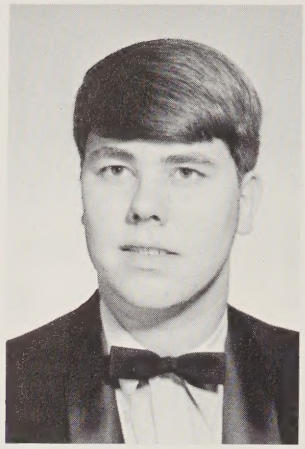

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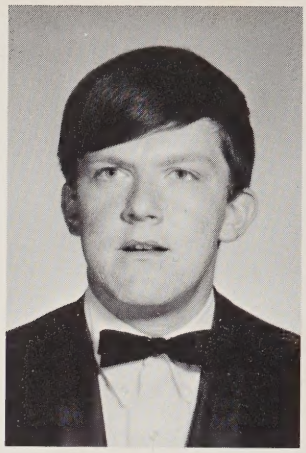
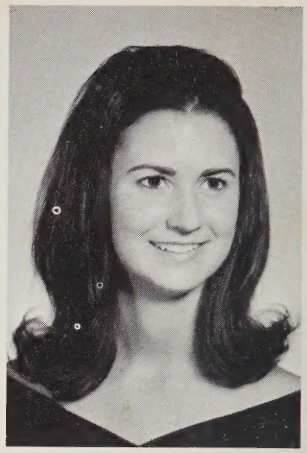


Thomas Warren McKay



Mary Llewellyn McGee

Vernon Gray Martin, Jr.
HR V. Pres. 4; Bus driver 4; Play 3.

Michael Clark McDowell
Newspaper Staff 2; Play 3,4.

Thomas Warren McKay
Football 3,4; Track 3,4; Jr. Achievement 4.

Mary Llewellyn McGee
HR Sec.-Treas. 2,4, HR V. Pres. 3; Titanides 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4, Treas. 4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4.

Dawnell Jennifer McMillan
Titanides 2,3,4; Teacher Asst. 2,3,4.

Glenda Ruth Merritt
Follies 2.

Brenda Sue Miller
Meistersingers 3,4; Teacher Asst. 4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4.

Pamela Susan Miller
F.H.A. 2.

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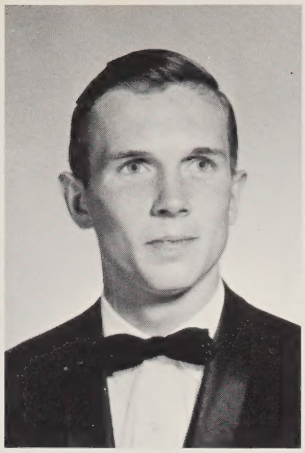
Jerry Hauser leads the band in a pep song during the Forbush game.

Brenda Sue Miller

Pamela Susan Miller

Ruby Jean Miller

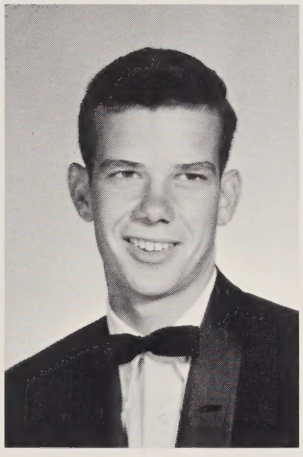


Jeffrey Michael Minick
Honor Graduate

Becky Snow demonstrates her creative ability as she cuts out materials to be used in a college.

Standouts in art and music

Tonyia Lee Minnish



Robert Lowery Mitchell

Ruby Jean Miller
Meistersingers 3,4; Teacher Asst. 4; Pep Club 2,3; Y-Teens 4; Jr. Achievement 4.

Jeffrey Michael Minick
Student Council 4, Comm. 3; Sr. Class Pres. 4; HR Pres. 3; National Honor Society 3,4; Key Club 2,3,4, V. Pres. 4; Cross Country 2,3; Football 4; Track 2; Pep Club 2,3; Morehead Nominee 4.

Tonyia Lee Minish
Basketball Mgr. 4, Timer 4; Ping Pong 4; Softball 4; Speedball 4; Volleyball 4; Teacher Asst. 4; F.H.A. 4; G.A.A. 4; Pep Club 2,3,4, Sec.-Treas. 4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 4; Play 3,4; Jr. Achievement 4, Pres. 4.

Robert Lowery Mitchell
HR Officer 2,3; Baseball 2; Golf 4; Wrestling 3; Pep Club 3,4; Follies 3; Play 4.

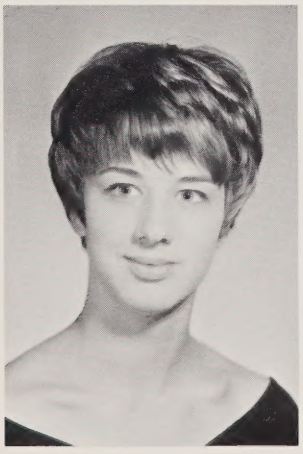
Douglas Allan Moffitt
HR Officer 2,3; Annual Staff 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Basketball 2; Wrestling 3; Play 3,4.

Tommie Alice Moffitt
Student Council 3,4, Comm. 4; HR Pres. 4; Cheerleader 3,4; Titanides 2; Basketball 2; Ping Pong 2,3,4; Softball 4; Volleyball 2,3,4; Teacher Asst. 4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Cheerleading Sportsmanship Award 3.

James Clark Monson
Baseball 2,3,4; Football 2,3,4; F.F.A. 3,4.

William Edgar Moore
Track 2; F.F.A. 4.

Douglas Allan Moffitt



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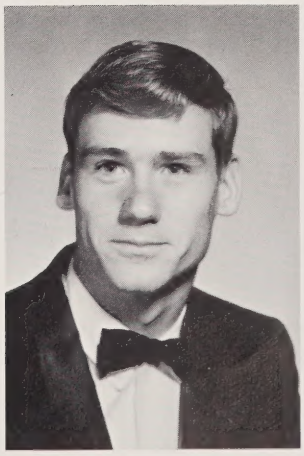

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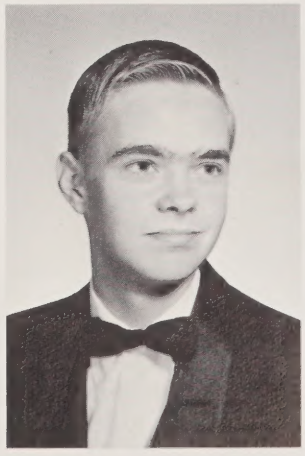

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Donna Jean Mullican

Darla Morgan
Student Council Comm. 3; HR V. Pres. 3; National Honor Society 4; Quill and Scroll 3,4, Sec.-Treas. 4; Annual Staff 2,3,4, Asst. Editor 4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Majorette 3,4; Titanides 2; Pep Club 2,3; Y-Teens 2,3,4, V. Pres. 3, Sec. 4; Follies 2,3,4; Play 2.

Julia Lynn Morton
Titanides 3,4; Y-Teens 4; Play 4; Homecoming Court 3.

Robert Edward Moser
Football 2.

Donna Jean Mullican
HR V. Pres. 2,4, HR Sec.-Treas. 3; Newspaper Staff 2,4; Teacher Asst. 4; Y-Teens 4.

Deborah Carol Mullins
Meistersingers 4; Follies 3; D.E. Club 4.

Connie Lynn Myers
Teacher Asst. 4; F.T.A. 4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 3,4.

Ernest Lee Myers
Football 2,3; Track 2.

Karen Gay Myers
Student Council 2; Newspaper Staff 2; Cheerleader 2; Meistersingers 2,3,4, Accompanist 3,4; Pep Club 3,4, Pres. 4; Follies 2,3,4; Stageband 4.

Nancy Jeannette Myers
F.H.A. 2,3,4, Historian 3, V. Pres. 4; Pep Club 4; Y-Teens 4.

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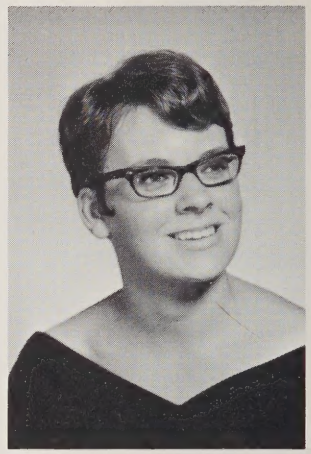

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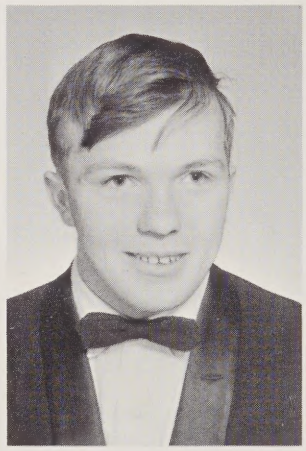

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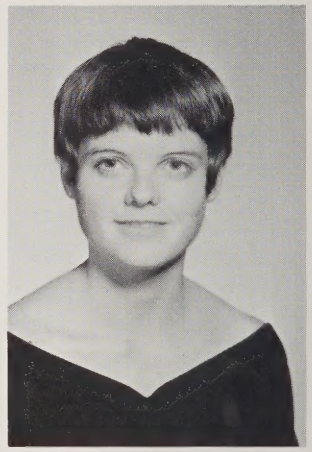

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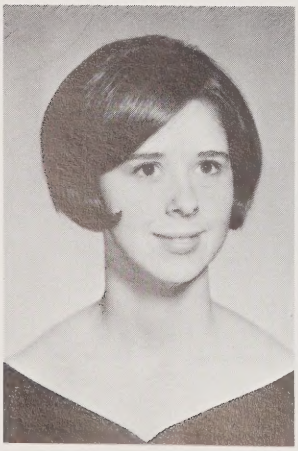

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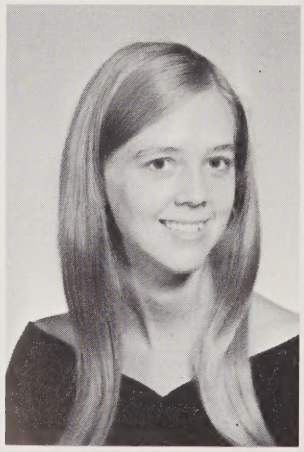
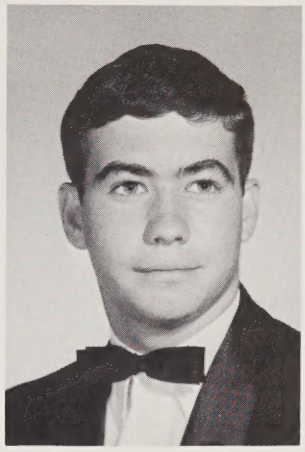


Susan Lynn Myers

283 seniors answer roll call on opening day

Seniors stroll into the auditorium during opening day ceremonies.



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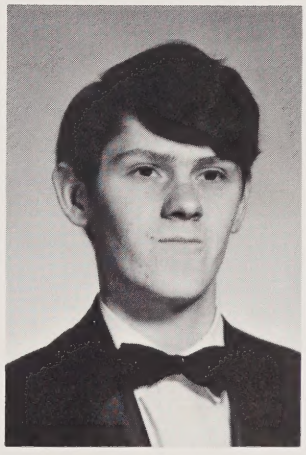

Billy Howard Newsom

Benton Louis Nelson
HR Pres. 2; Baseball 2,3; Wrestling 2; Bus driver 3,4.

Billy Howard Newsom
F.F.A. 3,4.

Beth Nowell
North High School 2; Y-Teens 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Advanced Placement 4.

Richard William Odom
Track 3; Bus driver 3,4; Pep Club 4.

Brenda Kay O'Mara

Janice Faye Orrell
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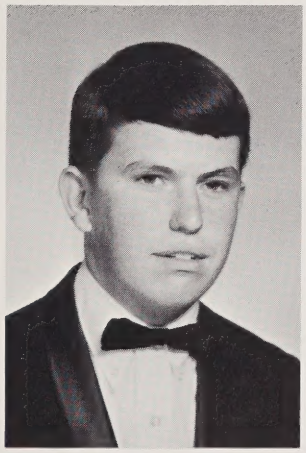

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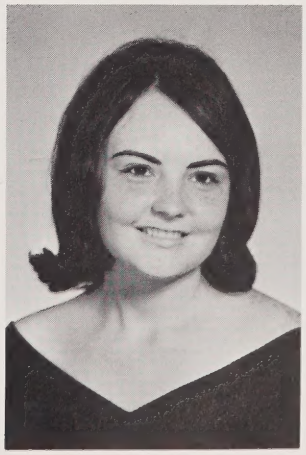

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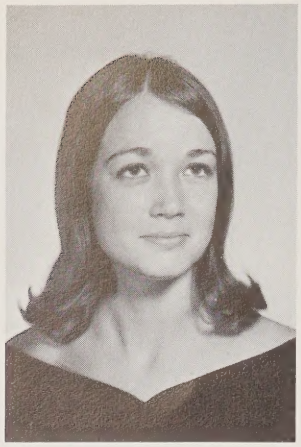

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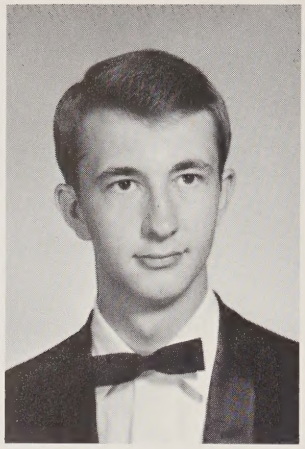

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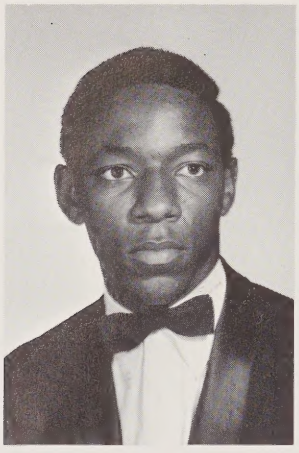

Donald Ray Patten

Bonnie Sue Pennell

Sherry Lee Orrell
North High School 2,3; West Forsyth 4; Teacher Asst. 4; F.T.A. 4, Treas. 4; Y-Teens 4.

Marcus Meredith Padgett
Student Council Comm. 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Key Club 3,4; Newspaper Staff 2,4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3,4, V. Pres. 2,3; Student of the Month 3; Governor's School 1968; Advanced Placement 4.

Christie Lee Pardue
Titanides 3,4; Teacher Asst. 3,4; F.T.A. 3,4, Pres. 4; Y-Teens 4; Play 3,4; Follies 3; Inter-Club 4; Intramural Ping Pong 4, Speedball 4, Basketball 4, Softball 4, Volleyball 4.

Richard Dale Parker
HR Pres. 2,3; National Honor Society 3,4; Key Club 3,4, Chaplain 4; Jr. Marshal 3; Basketball 3,4; Cross Country 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2.

Donald Ray Patten
East High School 2; Ping Pong 2; Track 2; Wrestling 2; Follies 2; Christian Athletics 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Football 2,3,4; Jr. Achievement 4.

Bonnie Sue Pennell
Wilkes Central High School 2; Albemarle High School 3; Drama Club 3; Albemarle Chronicle 3; West Forsyth 4; Teacher Asst. 4; F.T.A. 3,4.

Ethel Olivia Perry
HR Officer 4; Teacher Asst. 4; F.T.A. 4.

Vicki Lynn Pfaff
F.H.A. 3; V.I.C.A. Club 4, Sec. 4.

William Cecil Phelps
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Roger Dale Phibbs

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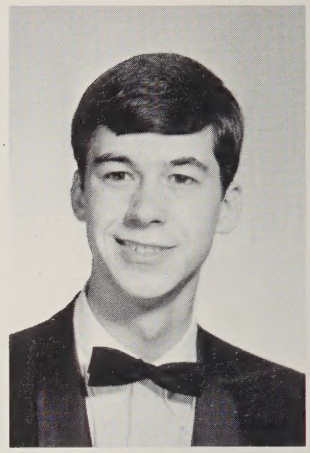
Christie Lee Pardue



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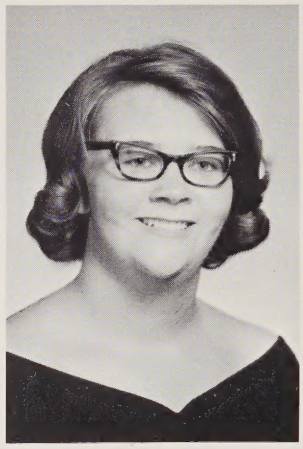

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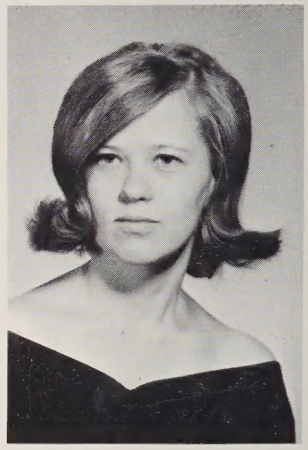

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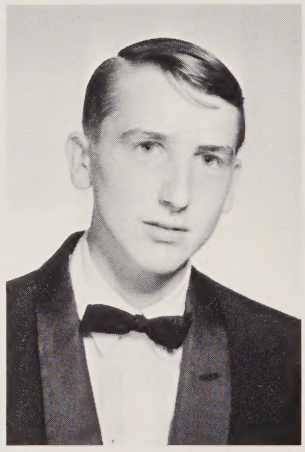

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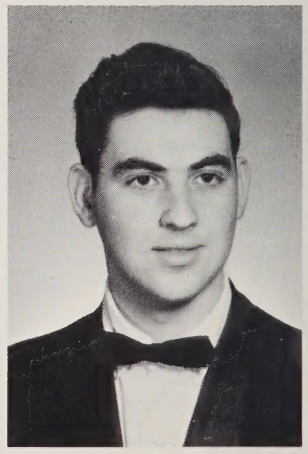
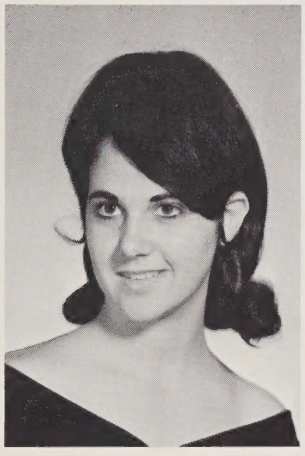


Roger Dale Phibbs

Jerry Klein receive dramatics awards

For their outstanding performances in **The Haunting of Hill House,** Theresa Threatt (left) and Jerry Klein receive the best actress and best actor awards from Mrs. Maxine Perdue, dramatics instructor.

Nina Sue Pickett



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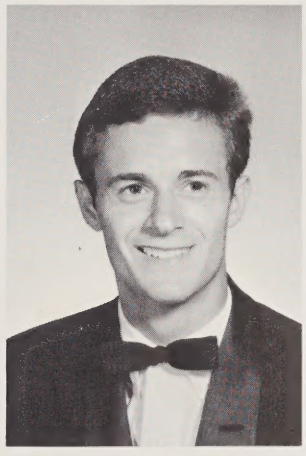

Steven Fearrington Poe

Nina Sue Pickett
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Janet Anthony Pilcher
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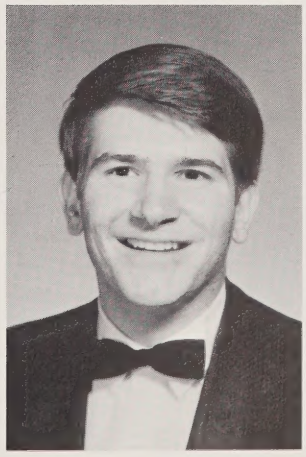
Steven Fearrington Poe

Vernon Gene Poole
Football 2; Track 2; Jr. Achievement 3,4, Pres. 4; Campus Life Club 2,3,4, Pres. 3,4.

Damon Jonathan Pope
HR V. Pres. 2; Baseball Mgr. 2; Football Mgr. 3; Bus driver 3,4.



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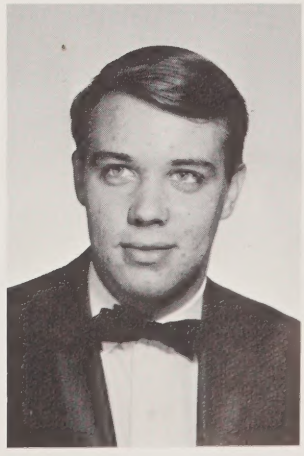

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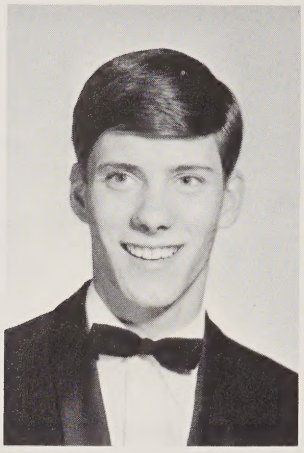
Chandler, Minick and Snyder



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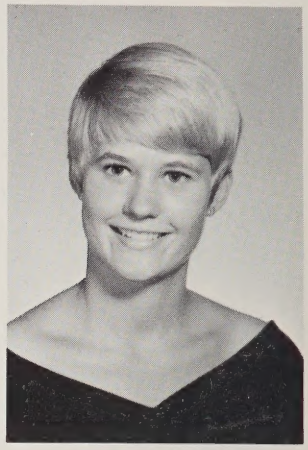
Mary Susan Pratt



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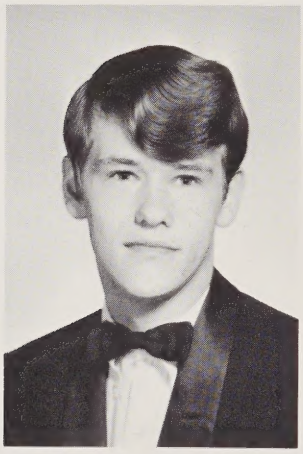

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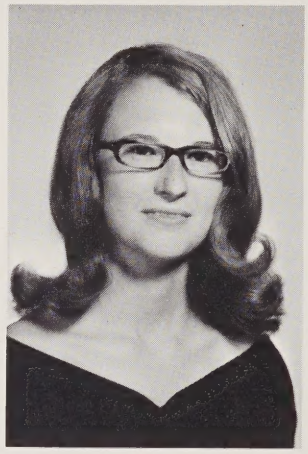

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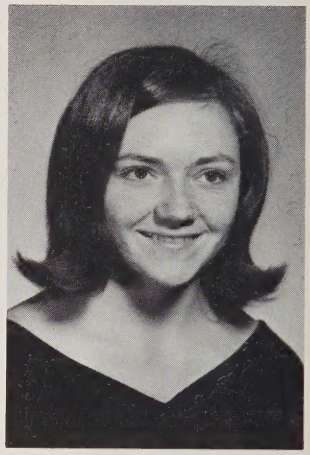


Shirley Marie Renegar

Francis Wylie Powell, Jr.
Cross Country 3; Football 2; Track 2,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4; Student Council Comm. 4.

Mary Susan Pratt
Student Council 2,3, Comm. 3,4; HR Pres. 4; Titanides 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Meistersingers 4; Follies 3; Play 3; Homecoming Court 2.

Jean Stevens Price
Student Council 3, Comm. 3; HR Sec.-Treas. 2,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Titanides 2; Pep Club 3,4; Follies 2; Homecoming Court 4.

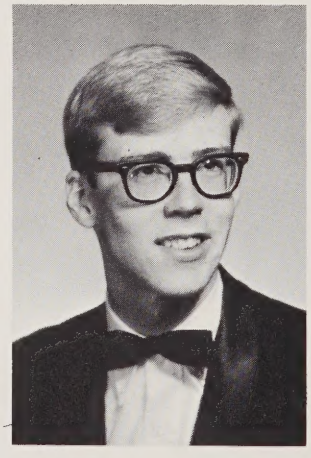
Dennis Lane Reavis
D.E. Club 3,4.

Janice Lee Renegar
D.E. Club 3; V.I.C.A. Club 4, Historian 4.

Shirley Marie Renegar
Basketball 4; Ping Pong 4; Softball 4; Speedball 4; Volleyball 4; Band 2,3,4; Follies 3; Stage Band 3.

Philip Lawton Renfroe
Wrestling 3; Bus driver 3,4; F.F.A. 4.

Deborah Jean Rice
Student Council Comm. 4; Sr. Class Sec. 4; HR Pres. 2, HR Sec.-Treas. 3; National Honor Society 3,4; F.H.A. 2,3; Pep Club 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3,4, Pres. 4; Follies 3,4; Play 2,3.



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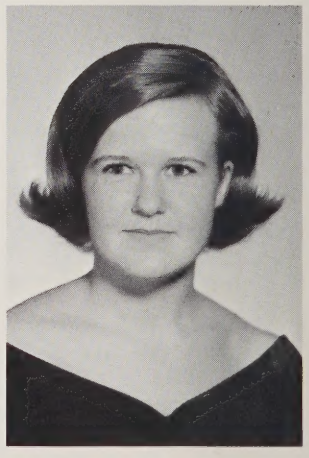
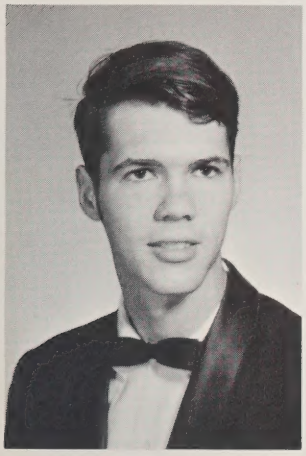


Deborah Jean Rice
Honor Graduate

are Morehead nominees



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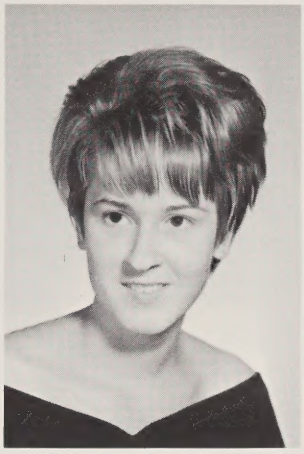

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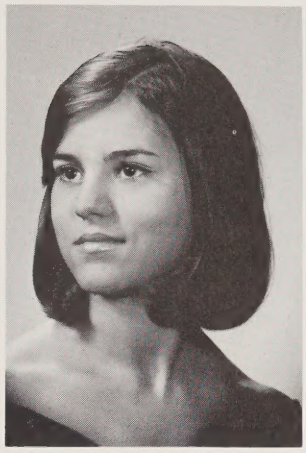

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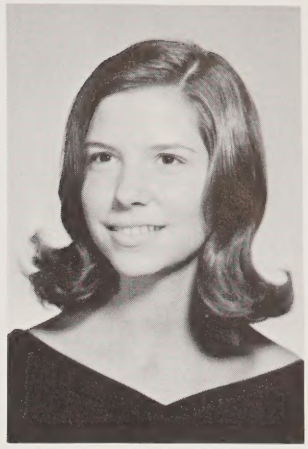


Bonnie Lynn Richardson

Being a senior becomes a reality for Brenda Jones and Gene Poole as they receive their class rings.

Eddie Arnold Rice
F.F.A. 4.

Paula Jo Rice
Follies 3,4; Play 2,3,4.

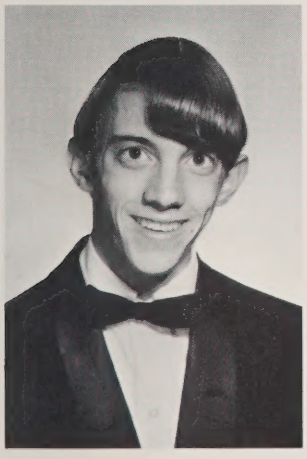
Karen Ann Richards
Basketball 2; F.H.A. 3; Y-Teens 3.

Bonnie Lynn Richardson
Titanides 3,4; F.H.A. 4, Parliamentarian 4; Play 3; Office Asst. 3; Color Guard 2.

John Donald Richardson
Reynolds High School 2; HR Treas. 2; West Forsyth 3,4; F.F.A. 4.

Libby Ann Richardson
Davie High School 2,3; D.E. Club 3; West Forsyth 4.

Elizabeth Katrina Rivers
Pep Club 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3,4.



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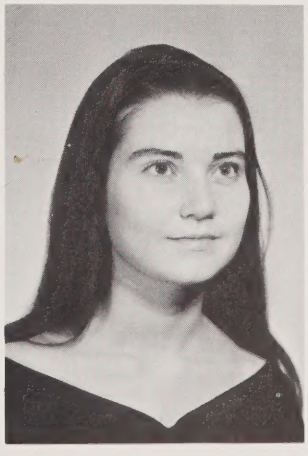

Elizabeth Katrina Rivers

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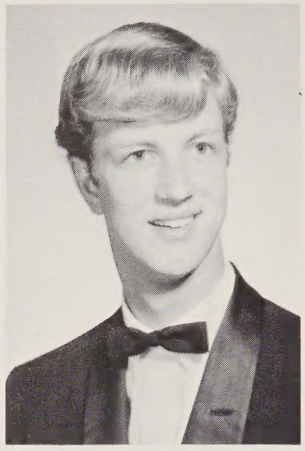

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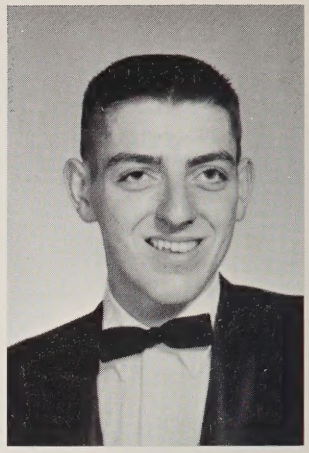

James Ebert Rominger

Scholastic Honors

Marsha Jo Robbins
F.H.A. 2,3,4.

Samuel Lee Roberts
Key Club 4; Bus driver 4; Follies 2,3,4; Play 3,4.

Linda Jane Robertson
HR Sec.-Treas. 2; V.I.C.A. Club 3; D.E. Club 4.

James Ebert Rominger
Bus driver 2,3; F.F.A. 2,3,4; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4.

Rebecca Elaine Rucker

Steven Gray Satterfield

Bruce Donald Saylor
V.I.C.A. Club 3,4.

Deborah Sue Saylor
Student Council Comm. 3; HR V. Pres. 4; Titanides 2,3, 4; F.H.A. 3; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 4; Follies 2; Play 3; Inter-Club 4, Sec. 4.

Gregory Patrick Saylor
Inter-Club 4, Chairman 4; Track 4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3,4, Pres. 4.

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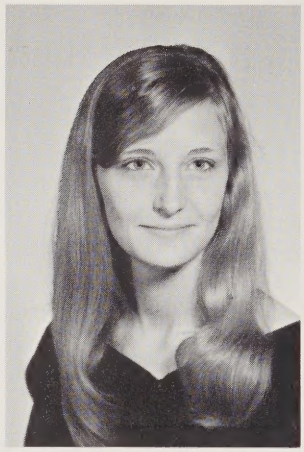

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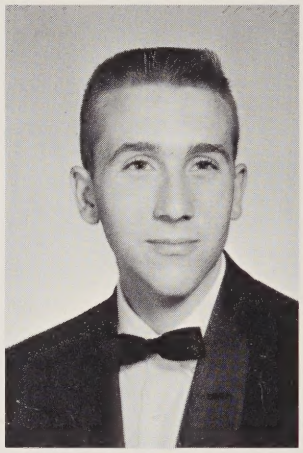

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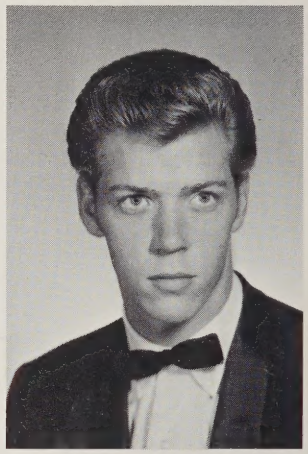

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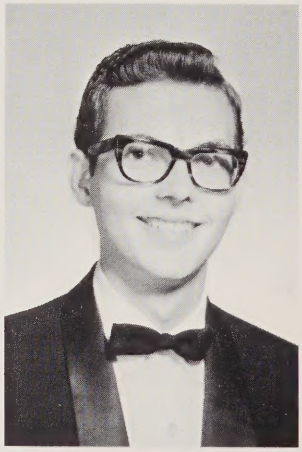

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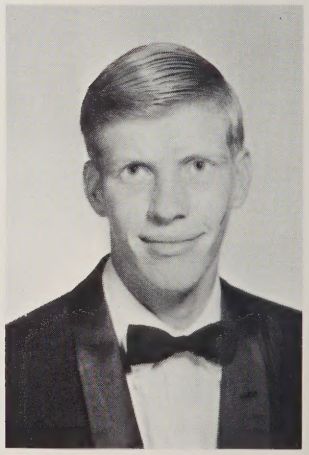

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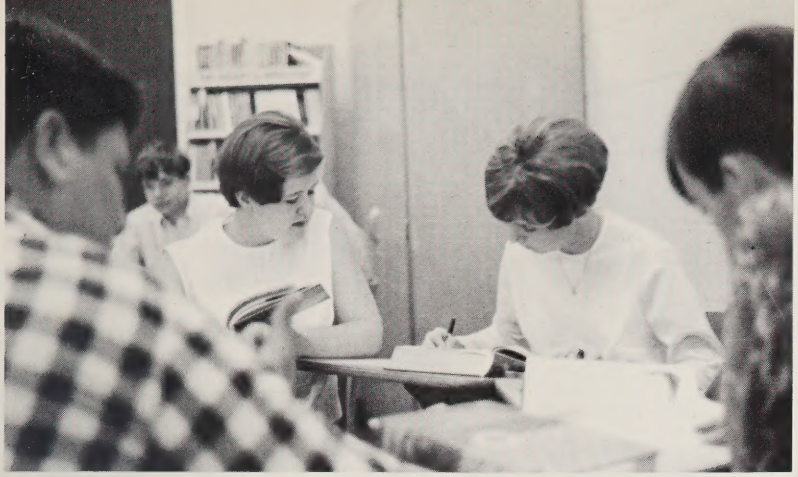

Ronnie Hicks, Rob Moser, Debbie Rice, Peggy Colbert and Phil Williams try to plan a discussion on just what that hero Beowulf did.

Bobby Gray Scott
Bus driver 2,3,4; F.F.A. 4.

Clarence Jeffrey Seaton
Izmir American High School, Turkey 1,2; Class Sec.1; Baseball 1; Basketball 1,2; Latin Club 2; Drama Club 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Key Club 3,4; Football 3,4; Volleyball 3,4.

Deborah Dare Sheets
Student Council 2,3,4, Comm. 4; Titanides 2,3,4; Meistersingers 4; Office Asst. 4; Follies 2,3; Homecoming Court 2,3,4; Snow Court 3.

Harriet Yvonne Sheets
F.H.A. 3,4; Y-Teens 4; Play 3,4; Follies 3.

Jerry Stephen Shelton
Bus driver 2,3,4; F.F.A. 3,4.

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F.F.A. 2,3,4.

Paul Friedrich Shoaf
Baseball 2; Wrestling 3; Band 2,3,4.

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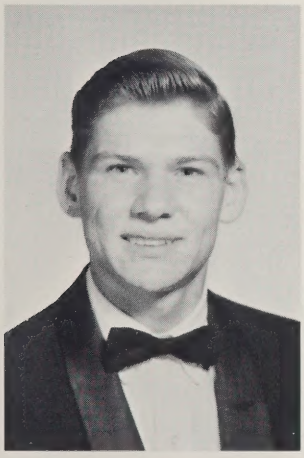

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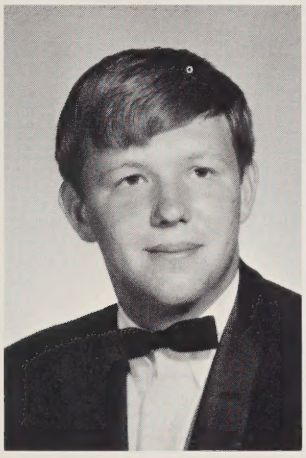

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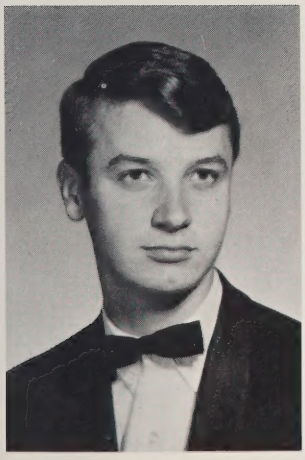

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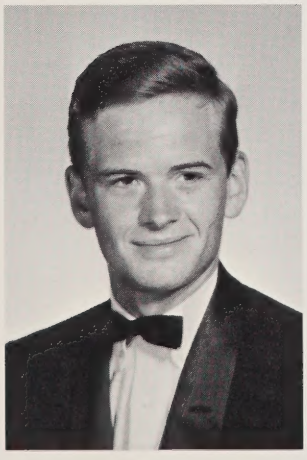

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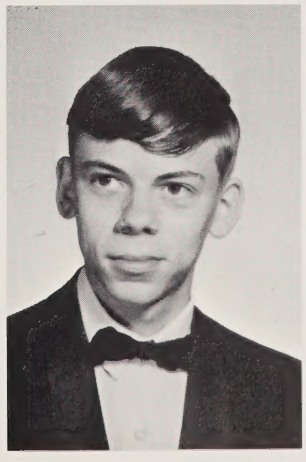
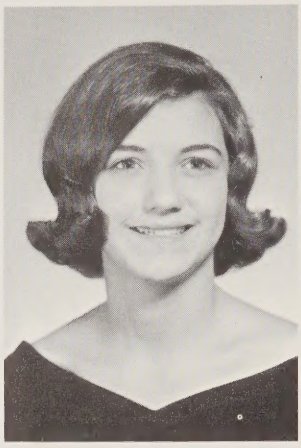


Paul Friedrich Shoaf

Year brings many smiles and a few tears

Vickie Jaro Shoemaker



Eva Cathon Sides

Vicki Jaro Shoemaker
North High School 2,3; Valkries 3; G.A.A. 2,3; West Forsyth 4; D.E. Club 4.

Eva Cathon Sides
HR Sec.-Treas. 3; Majorette 2,3,4; Teacher Asst. 4.

Carolyn Jeane Simmons
HR Sec.-Treas. 2; National Honor Society 4; Newspaper Staff 2; Titanides 3,4; Pep Club 2,3; Y-Teens 4; Play 3,4; Follies 3; Color Guard 2; National Merit Semi-Finalist 4

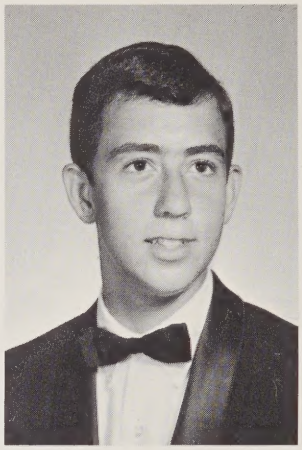
Pamela Gay Simmons
Student Council 2,3,4, Comm. 3,4; Titanides 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Meistersingers 3,4; Follies 3; Play 3.

Edward Kilby Simpson
Student Council Comm. 2,3,4; HR Pres. 2,3, HR V. Pres. 4; Key Club 3,4; Jr. Marshal 3; Basketball 2; Cross Country 2,3,4; Track 3, Mgr. 4; Pep Club 2,3, 4; Follies 3,4; Play 2,3,4.

Ronald Gray Slater
Bus driver 3,4; F.F.A. 4.

Carolyn Jeane Simmons
Honor Graduate

Pamela Gay Simmons



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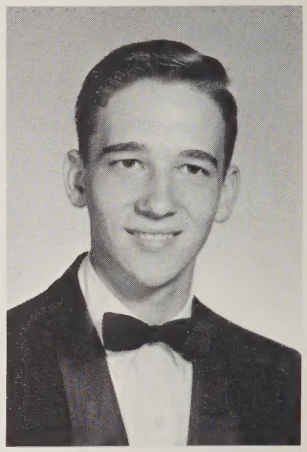
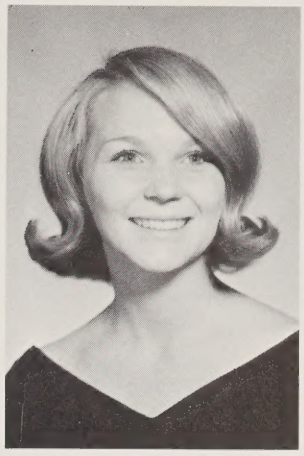


Ronald Gray Slater

Smiles are trademarks of seniors and especially of these sociable girls. Tommie Moffitt is headed for the punch table with her pitchers, even though Debbie Thomas, Melle Lee Stimpson and Amanda Spease have empty cups and are begging prettily.

Tears—not often visible at West—came to spectators when Jimmy Hunt missed a Chaney pass during the Mt. Airy-West game.



Janet Elaine Sloan

Dallas Gwyn Smith

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HR Sec.-Treas. 4; Jr. Marshal 3; Y-Teens 4; Majorette 2,3,4, Co-Chief 3,4; Follies 2,3,4; Meistersingers 4; Snow Court 3,4; Homecoming Court 2,3.

Dallas Gwyn Smith
Band 2,3,4, Pres. 4; Golf 4; Follies 2,3,4; Inter-Club 4; Volleyball 3; Stage Band 3,4.

Deborah Ann Smith

Jack Hoover Smith, Jr.
Annual Staff 3; Newspaper Staff 2,3; F.F.A. 4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3; Follies 2,3,4; Play 3,4.

Louise Milner Smith
Plant High School, Fla. 2,3; West Forsyth 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Meistersingers 4.

Virginia Lee Smith
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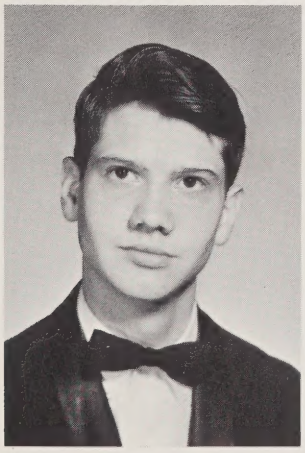
Deborah Ann Smith



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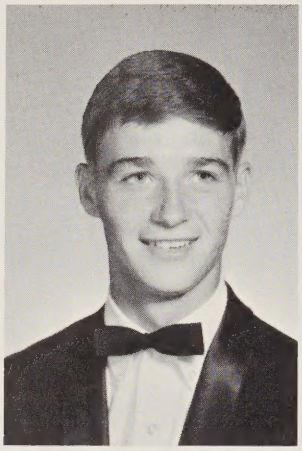
Seniors dominate

Mary Rebecca Snow



Von Jackson Snow

Mary Rebecca Snow
Newspaper Staff 2; D.E. Club 3.

Von Jackson Snow
Baseball 2,3,4; Football 2,3,4; Wrestling 3.

Sammy Eric Snowden
Football 2; Wrestling 4; V.I.C.A. Club 3,4, Pres. 4; Inter-Club 4.

Bruce Allen Snyder
Student Council Comm. 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4, V. Pres. 4; Key Club 2,3,4, V. Pres. 3, Pres. 4, District Officer 4; Jr. Marshal 3; Pep Club 2, 3,4; Teacher Asst. 3; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2,3,4, Pres. 2,3; Student of the Month 3; Play 3; Governor's School 1968; Inter-Club 4; Morehead Nominee 4; Advanced Placement 4; National Merit Semi-Finalist 4.

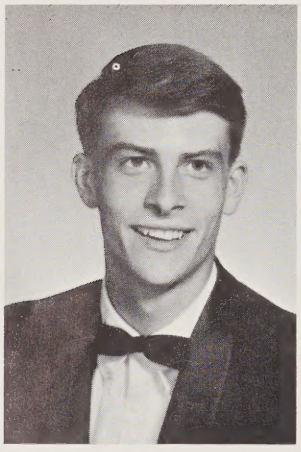
David William Snyder
F.F.A. 4; V.I.C.A. Club 4.

Michael Gray Sowers
Jr. Marshal 3; Baseball 2,3,4, Co-Captain 3; Cross Country 3,4; Wrestling 2, 3,4, Co-Captain 3,4.

Edith Marie Spainhour
F.H.A. 2,3; F.T.A. 3.

Amanda June Spease
Student Council Comm. 4; Titanides 3,4; Meistersingers 4; Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3; Homecoming Court 3.

Cathy Renee Spease
D.E. Club 3.



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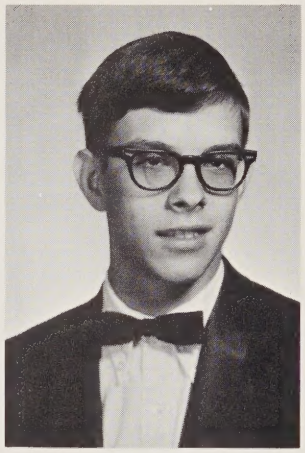

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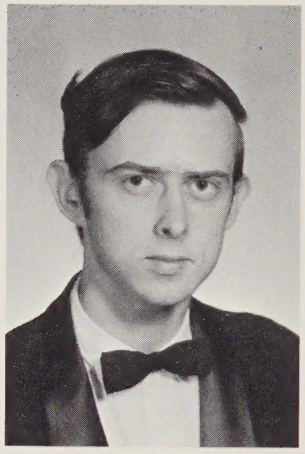

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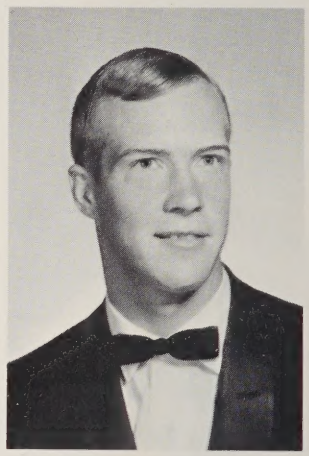

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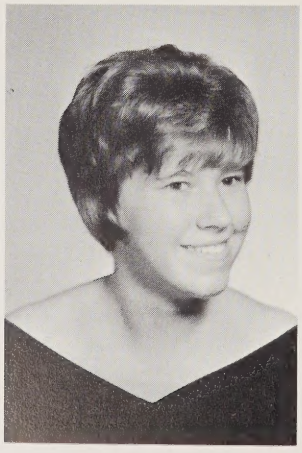

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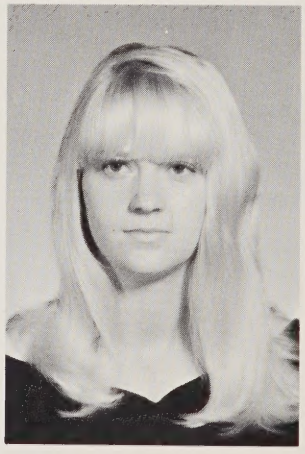

Amanda June Spease

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Homecoming Court

Sarah Lee Sprinkle

Nancy Kraft Stallings

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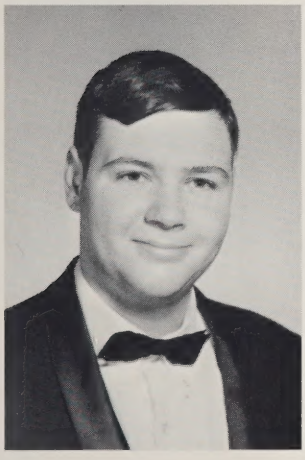

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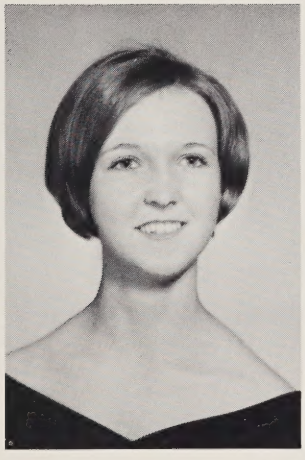

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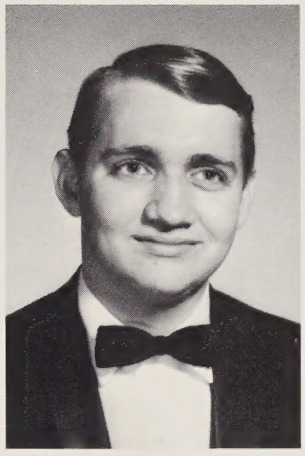


Michael Charles Stewart

Robbie Lynne Stewart

Sarah Lee Sprinkle
Titanides 4; Pep Club 2,3; Follies 3; Play 3; Homecoming Court 3.

Nancy Kraft Stallings
North Miami High School, Fla. 2; Tri-Hi-Y 2, Chaplain 2; Red Cross 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Newspaper Staff 3, 4; Follies 3; Play 3.

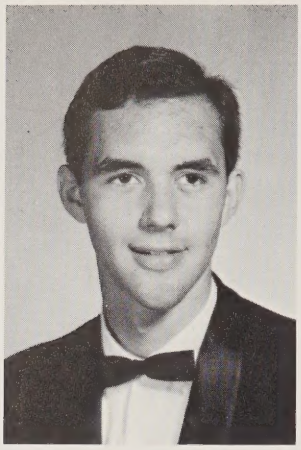
Gregory Thomas Stewart
Football 2; Bus driver 3; D.E. Club 4, Pres. 4; Inter-Club 4.

Joan Arlene Stewart
Meistersingers 4; Pep Club 4; Y-Teens 4.

Michael Charles Stewart
Band 2; Campus Life Club 2,3,4, Chaplain 4.

Robbie Lynne Stewart
HR Sec.-Treas. 3; National Honor Society 4; Y-Teens 3,4; Homecoming Court 3.

Melle Lee Stimpson
Student Council Comm. 3; Sr. Class Treas. 4; HR Pres. 2; HR V. Pres. 3; Newspaper Staff 2; Titanides 2,3,4; Pep Club 3; Meistersingers 3,4; Y-Teens 4; Follies 3; Homecoming Court 4.



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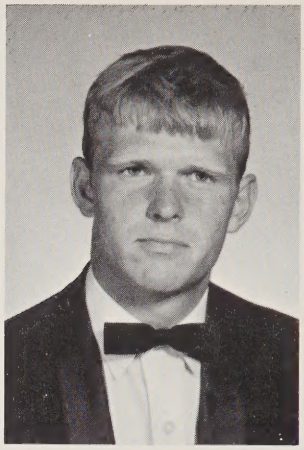

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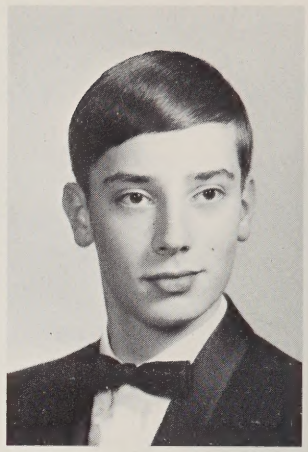
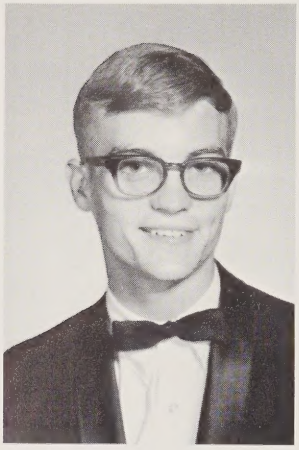


Charles George Tatum, III

Seniors aim ahead



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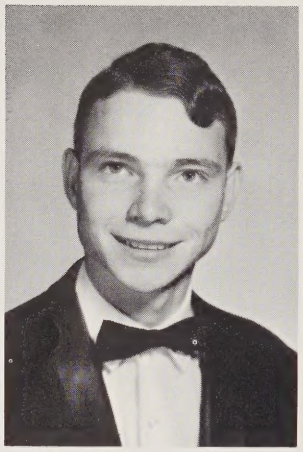


Larry Alton Tesh

Robert Mitchell Stover
Student Council 2,3, V. Pres. 3, Comm. 2,3; Soph. Class Pres. 2; HR Pres. 2,4; Key Club 2,3,4; Jr. Marshal 3; Basketball 2, Scorekeeper 3,4; Football 2; Teacher Asst. 3; F.T.A. 3; Follies 2,3,4; Play 3,4.

Victor Lee Swaim
Baseball 3; Football 2,3,4; Track 2,4; Wrestling 2,4.

Charles George Tatum, III
Band 3,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4; Jr. Achievement 4.

Roger Mitchell Taylor
Baseball 2,3,4; Bus driver 2,3,4.

Larry Alton Tesh
Baseball 2; Basketball 2,3; Cross Country 3; Bus driver 3,4; Band 2,3,4; Play 3.

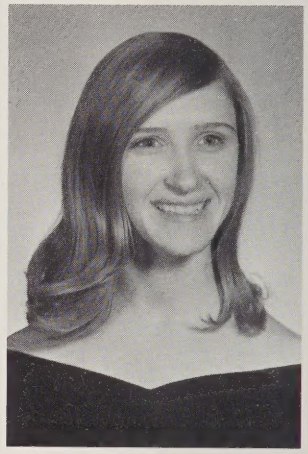
Debra Lynn Thomas
Student Council 2, Comm. 3; HR Pres. 3; Titanides 2, 3,4; Y-Teens 4; Follies 2,3; Play 3,4; Homecoming Court 4; National Merit Semi-Finalist 4.

Theresa Diane Threatt
National Honor Society 4; Follies 3; Play 2,3,4; Best Actress 67-68.

George Christopher Todd
Newspaper Staff 4; Meistersingers 3,4; Follies 3,4; Play 3,4.

Timothy Dale Treadway
Mekenzie High School, Tenn. 3; Play 3; Spanish Club 3; West Forsyth 2,4; Track 2.

Debra Lynn Thomas
Honor Graduate



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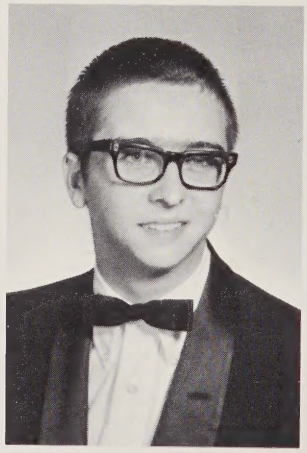

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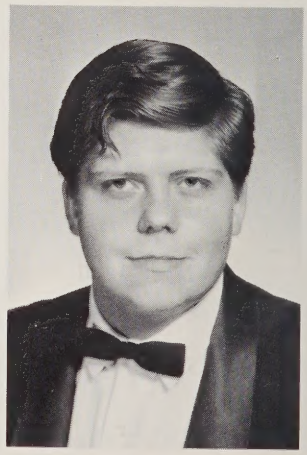

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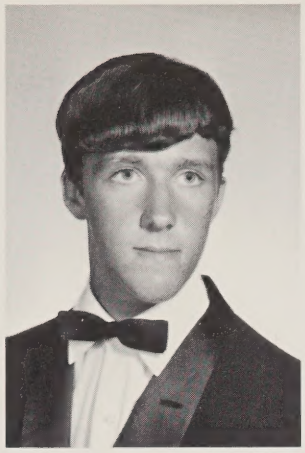

Tom Allen Vance

Mary Jane Tucker
Student Council Comm. 4; Annual Staff 2; Ping Pong 3; Pep Club 2,3; Y-Teens 3,4; Follies 2,3; Play 2,3.

Tom Allen Vance
F.F.A. 2,3,4.

Gypsy Sue Vestal
Teacher Asst. 2,3; F.H.A. 2; D.E. Club 3,4, Treas. 3,4, District 5 Sec.-Treas. 4.

Ellen Romana Vogler
Titanides 2,3,4; Follies 2,3; Play 2,3.

Mary Eleanor Wackerhagen
Student Council Comm. 3; Jr. Class Sec. 3; HR Officer 2,3,4; Y-Teens 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4, Sec. 4; Cheerleader 2; Teacher Asst. 3; Pep Club 3,4; Follies 2,3; Reynolds Scholarship Nominee 4.

Richard Fuller Wagner, Jr.
Student Council 4, Comm. 4; Jr. Class Pres. 3; Key Club 2,3,4, Sec. 4; Basketball 2; Cross Country 2; Football 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Follies 3; Play 3.

Brenda Joyce Walker
HR Sec.-Treas. 2,3; Meistersingers 3,4; Library Asst. 4; Pep Club 3; Y-Teens 3,4; Play 3.

Sheila Louise Walton
F.H.A. 4.

Christopher Douglas Ward
Newspaper Staff 2; Band 2,3,4, Student Director 3,4; Jr. Engineers-Science Club 2; Follies 2,3,4; Play 2,3; Stage Band 2,3,4.

Michael Leroy Warden
Football 3; Bus driver 2,3,4; Band 2,3,4.

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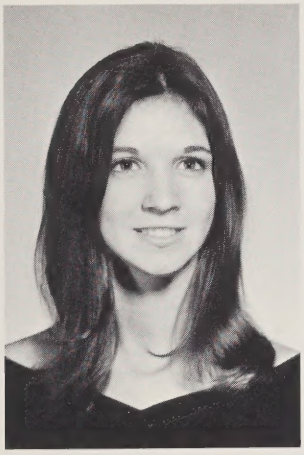

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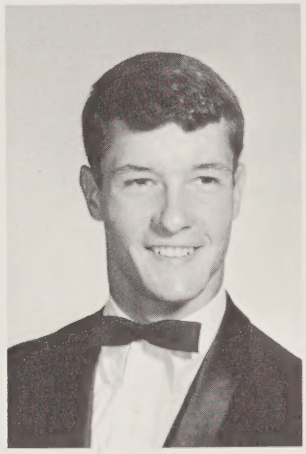

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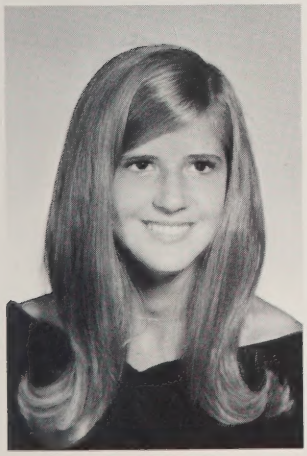

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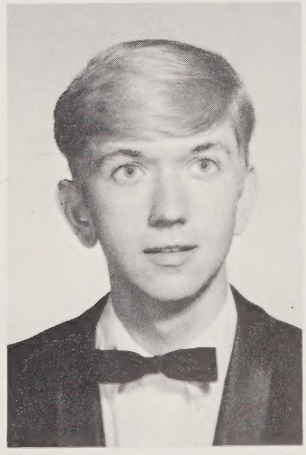

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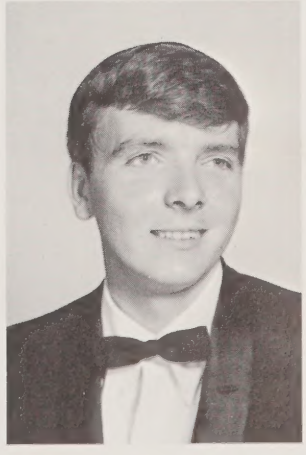

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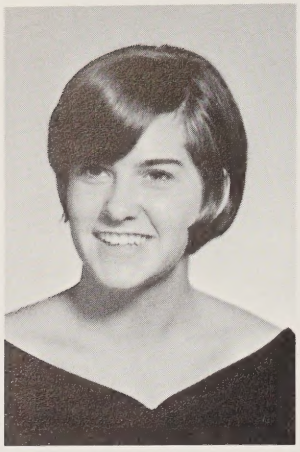
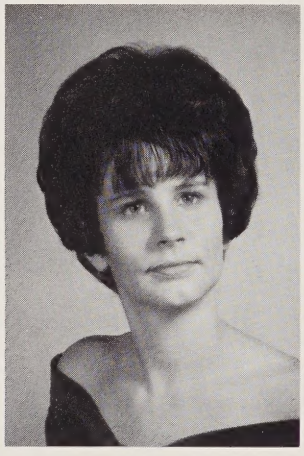
Decision!!



Linda Gail Weaver

Dorothy Ann Wendt

Miss Frances Cook and Principal Harold E. Simpson are enjoying this conversation. Seniors are hoping that the talk concerns some happiness for them; i.e., no spring senior exams.



Nancy Irene White

Donald Jason Wike

Donna Ebert Williams

Linda Gail Weaver
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Dorothy Ann Wendt
Student Council 2; HR Officer 2; Titanides 2; Ping Pong 2,3; Meistersingers 2,3,4; Volleyball 2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3; Library Asst. 3,4; Follies 2,3,4; Play 2,3,4.

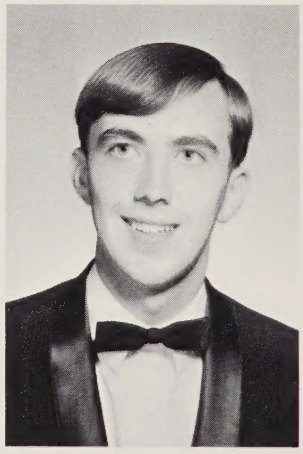
Nancy Irene White
Library Asst. 2,3; F.H.A. 2; Pep Club 2; D.E. Club 3,4.

Donald Jason Wike
HR Sec.-Treas. 2; Band 2; D.E. Club 3,4.

Donna Ebert Williams
HR Officer 2; Titanides 2; Play 2; D.E. Club 3,4. Reporter 3; Office Asst. 3.

Philip Karl Williams
West High School, N.Y. 2; West Forsyth 3,4; Band 2, 3,4; Follies 3.

Rebecca Jean Williams
Basketball 2,3,4, Co-Captain 4; Ping Pong 2,3,4; Softball 2,3,4; Speedball 2,3,4, Co-Captain 4; Volleyball 2,3,4; Teacher Asst. 4; G.A.A. 2,3,4, V. Pres. 4; Pep Club 3,4.



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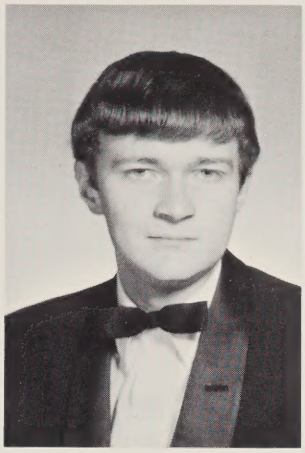
No spring exams for seniors

Catherine Marie Williamson
Honor Graduate



Jerry Wayne Wilson

Catherine Marie Williamson
F.H.A. 4, Reporter 4; Y-Teens 4.

Jerry Wayne Wilson

Russell Alan Wilson
Football 2,3,4; Track 2,3; Wrestling 2,3; Follies 4; Play 4.

Deborah Kay Wise
HR V. Pres. 2, HR Pres. 3, HR Sec.-Treas. 4; Meistersingers 4; G.A.A. 2,3,4, Sec. 4; Basketball 2,4; Softball 2,3,4; Speedball 2,3,4; Volleyball 3,4.

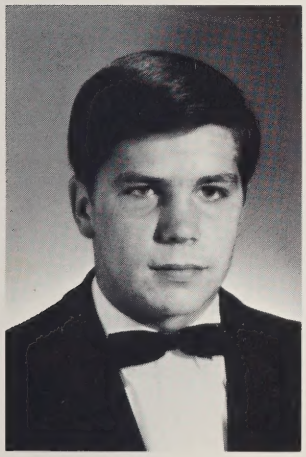
Deborah Ann Wishon
F.H.A. 4; Y-Teens 4.

John Bryant Wood
Meistersingers 3,4.

Anna Trimella Wooten
Student Council 3,4, Comm. 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4, Treas. 4; Annual Staff 2; Jr. Marshal Co-Chief 3; Cheerleader 2,3,4, Chief 4; Meistersingers 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Student of the Year 3; Follies 2, 3,4; D.A.R. Good Citizen Award 3; U.S. History Award 3; Homecoming 2,3,4; Valentine Sweetheart 3.

Wanda Gail Wooten
HR Pres. 2,4, HR V. Pres. 3; Quil and Scroll 3,4; Newspaper Staff 2, 3,4, Asst. Editor 4; F.H.A. 2,3,4, Parliamentarian 3, Pres. 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Play 3; Inter-Club 4.

Harry Michael Zafoot
HR Pres. 2; Basketball 2,3; Cross Country 3; Football 3; Track 2,3; Bus driver 4; Follies 4; Play 4.



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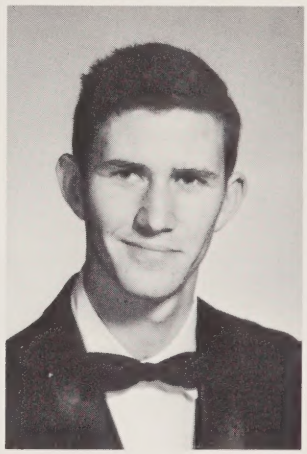

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Anna Trimella Wooten
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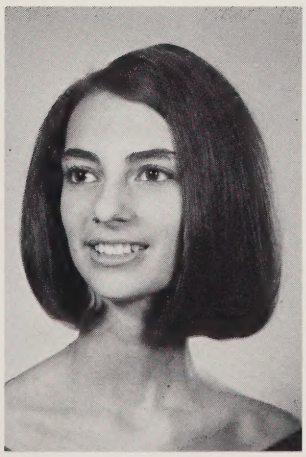

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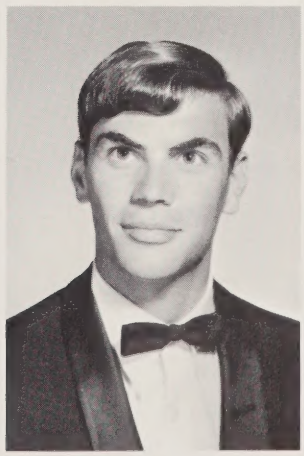


Harry Michael Zafoot

Lawing, Binkley, Dyson hold chief offices

Displaying an abundance of drive and spirit, the Class of '70 captured first place in the Spirit Week sponsored by the cheerleaders. Mrs. Jane Everhart, chairman of the sponsors, helped the situation when she consented to wear a student-designed costume on Sponsor Day. Along with the sponsor first place, the juniors won the can event, stringing together 287 Jolly Green Giant cans. Continuing their exuberance, the class won the Spirit Stick by virtue of having the largest percentage of their class attending a basketball game.

Not only were the juniors outstanding in exhibiting their enthusiasm for the school, but they also were active in co-operating with play promotions, candy sales and prom plans. The National Merit tests and college board tests interrupted some of the Saturday holidays, but selection and ordering of class rings increased the importance of the tests.

Individually the juniors received several honors: twelve inducted into the NHS in the fall and eighteen selected as marshals for graduation.

As second year senior high students, the juniors know their aims, and they are assiduously striving to be on target.

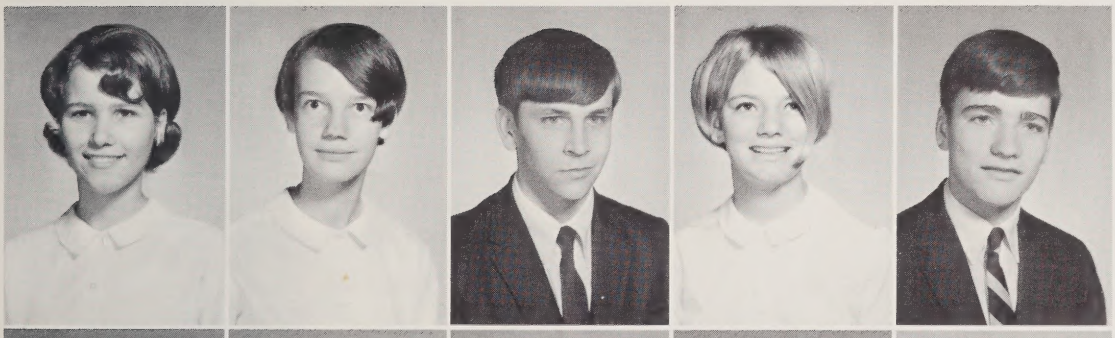
Scrambling through papers and books, the Junior Class Officers are searching for—and finding—ideas for the prom. Bobby Binkley, treasurer; Bonnie Dyson, secretary; Skipper Lawing, president.

Elected by members of their homerooms, junior presidents serve on the class executive council. **Top to bottom, first line:** Sarah Redding, Vicki Beroth, Marcia Doub, Veda Miller; **Second line:** Sonny Williams, Ned Fowler, John Swajkoski. **Third line:** Charlie Griggs, Neil Caudle, Buddy Bolick, Richard Robertson.

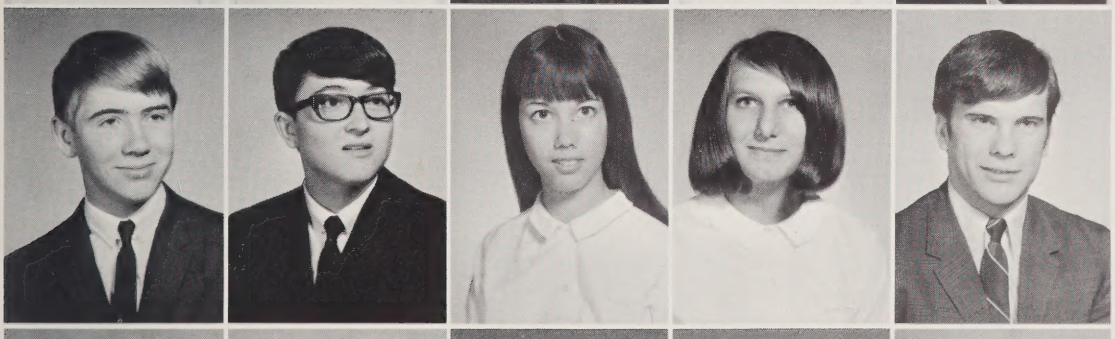
in Junior Class

Nancy Alexander
Leonard Algood
Wayne Allgood
Debby Augur

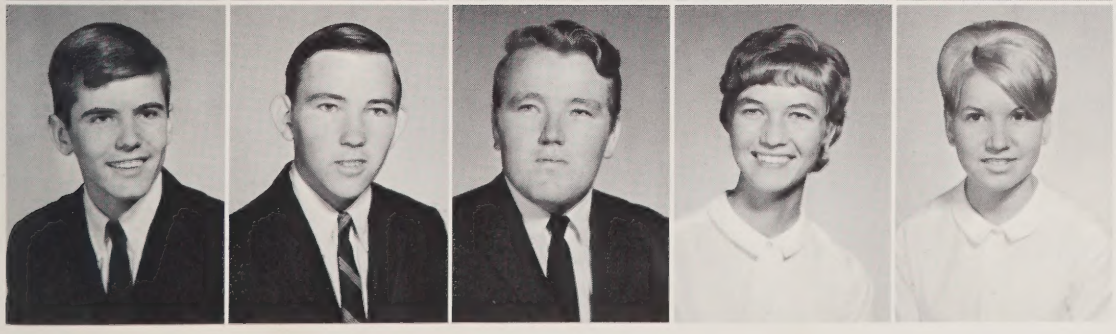
Marie Austin
Vicky Ayers
Salli Bailey
Gary Baldwin
Lola Barber



Carolyn Barr
Beth Bates
Wade Beauchamp
Carlotta Becker
Jack Becker



Rickey Bell
Larry Benfield
Maureen Berndt
Vicki Beroth
Bo Billings

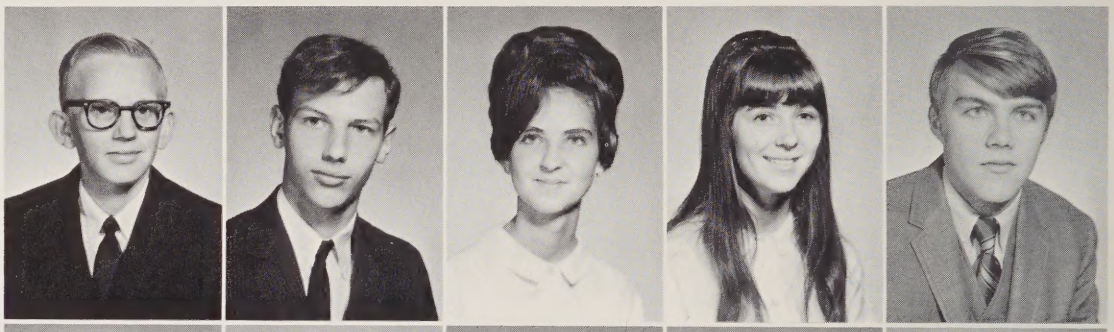


Bobby Binkley
John Binkley
Stan Binkley
Donna Black
Kathy Black

Twelve juniors gain

Robert Fulton receives approval from students and teachers as Paul Chandler taps him for NHS.

Barry Blevins
Jerry Blevins
Patsy Bodsford
Yvonne Bodsford
Buddy Bolick



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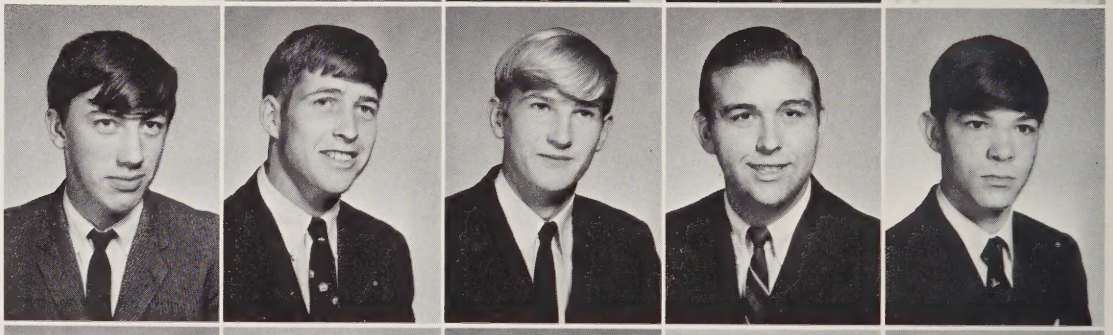
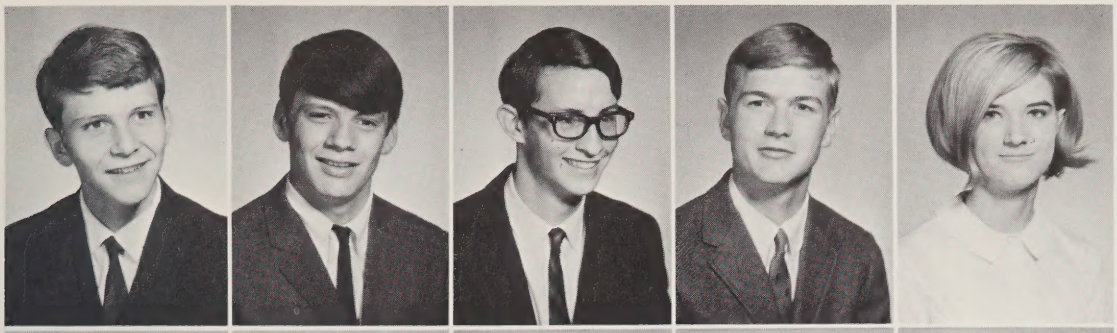
Lee Bowen
Keith Boyles
Keith Bracknell
Laura Bradley

Doug Brandon
Steve Brewer
David Brickey
Terry Brindle
David Bryant



Debbie Bryant
James Bryant
Margaret Burger
Tommy Burke
Sammy Byerly

membership in National Honor Society



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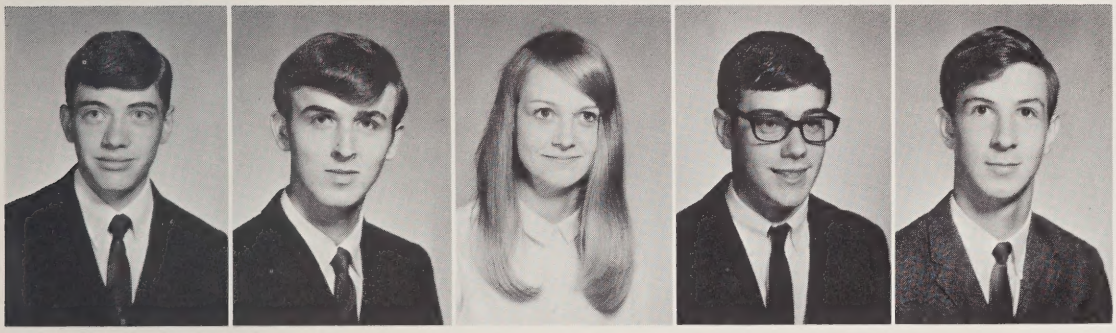
Barry Carlton
Paul Carter
Steve Carter
Wanda Carter

Neil Caudle
V.M. Cheatwood
Lynda Childress
Cecil Cheek
Michael Chism



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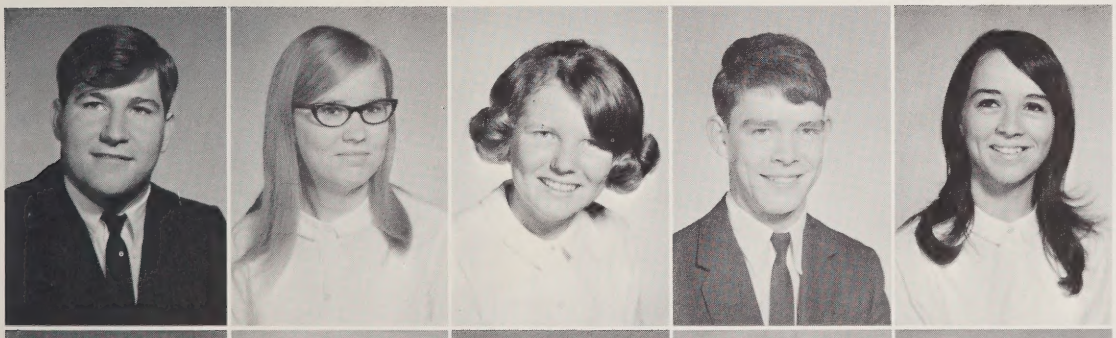
Dallas Cline
Sheila Cline
Woody Clore
Jim Coble



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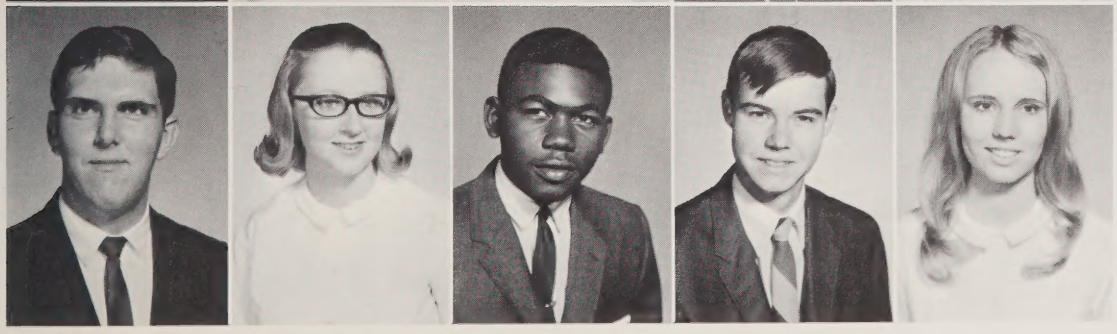
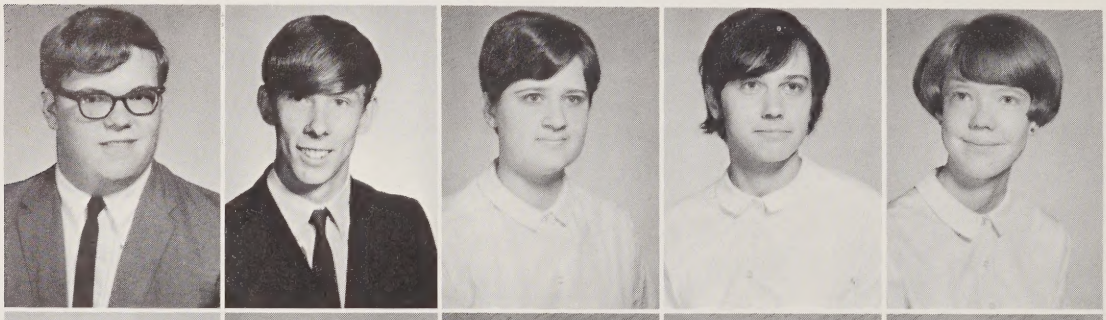
Bonnie Collins
Dean Collins
Galen Collins
Sandra Collins



Marion Conrad
Marsha Conrad
Michael Conrad
Leon Cook
Carol Cooper

R. Fulton, E. Todd are chief marshals

Junior marshals for the 1969 graduation are led by Emily Todd and Robert Fulton, co-chiefs. The marshals are: **front:** Joy Hester, Bonnie Dyson, Shirley Hutchens, Donna Black, Jan Postove, Vicki Beroth, Gee Gee Grant, and Elaine Rinehart. **back:** Ned Fowler, Steve Carter, Sonny Williams, Frank Denaro, Bobby Binkley, Mike Vogler, John Swajkoski, and Doug Minick.



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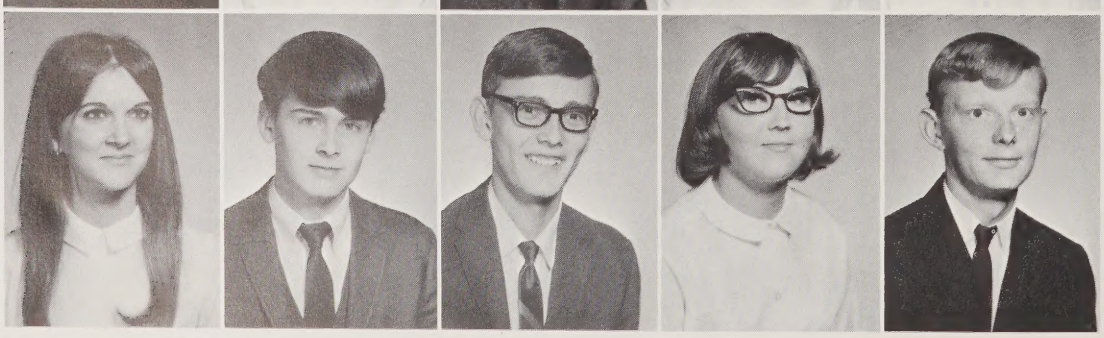
Keith Cox
Lou Cox
Debbie Craft
Linda Craft

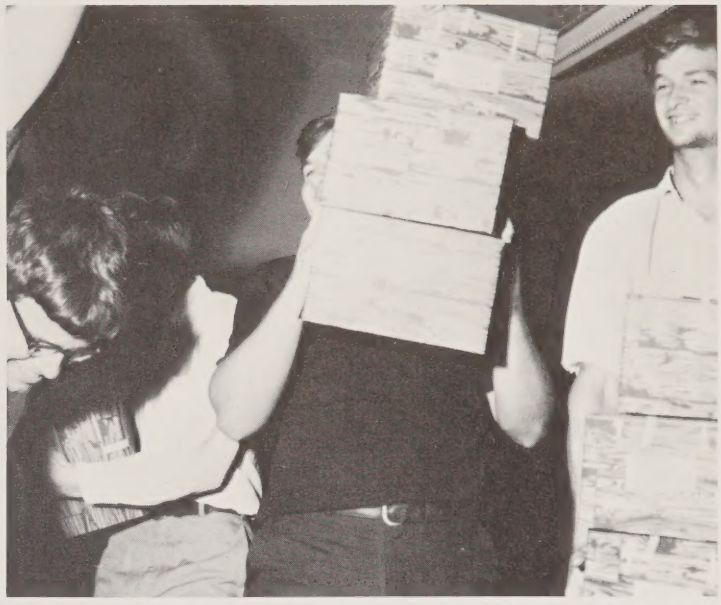
Jim Crandell
Linda Crater
Terry Crater
Pat Craver
Mary Cregger



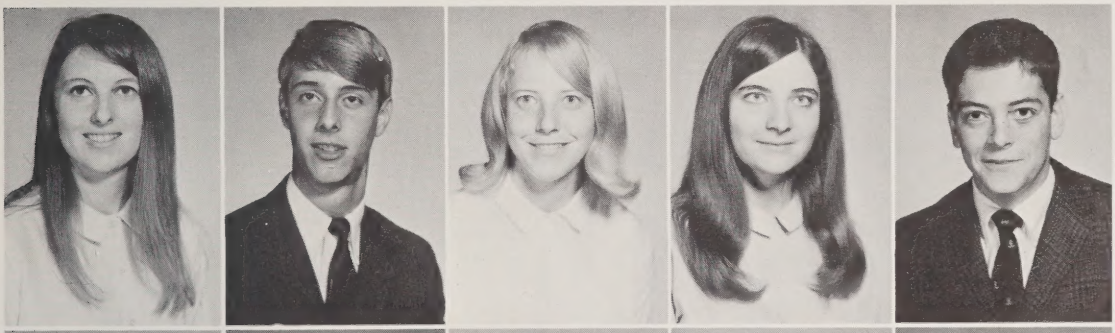
Kathy Crouse
Lee Crowe
Bobby Crutchfield
Susan Culler
Roger Davis

Sponsor and students communicate

Dressed as Titan food (a giant green pea), Mrs. Jane Everhart cooperated with the juniors in the Spirit Week activities. As chairman of the junior sponsors and chosen "it" for this event, Mrs. Everhart won the sponsor-prize with this costume.



Jacky Ireland, Keith Wilson, Danny Cole and Cecil Cheek volunteered their muscles to help make the candy sale a success.



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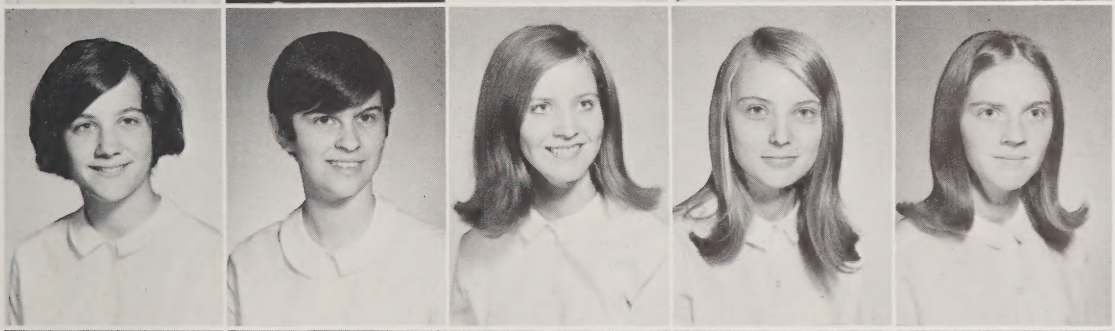
Frank Denaro
JoAnn Disher
Cathy Dix
David Doby



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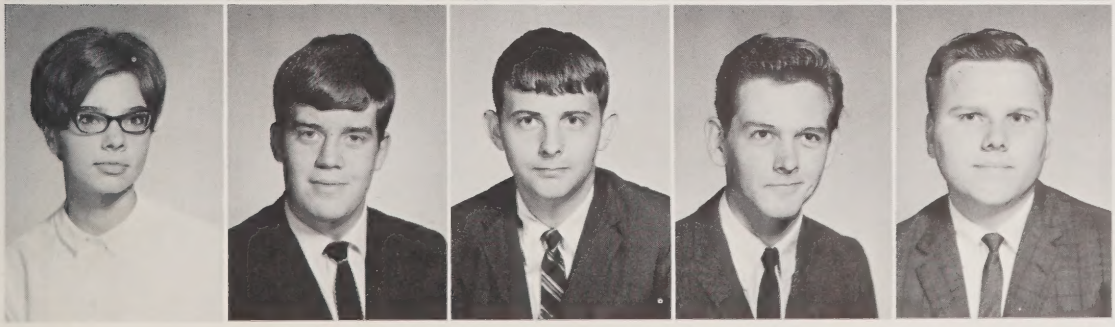
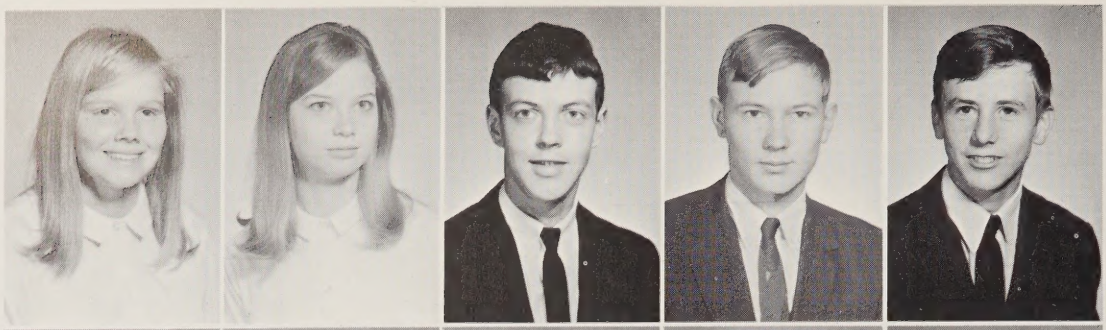


Bonnie Dyson
David Elam
Mike Evans
Tom Evans
Denny Everhart



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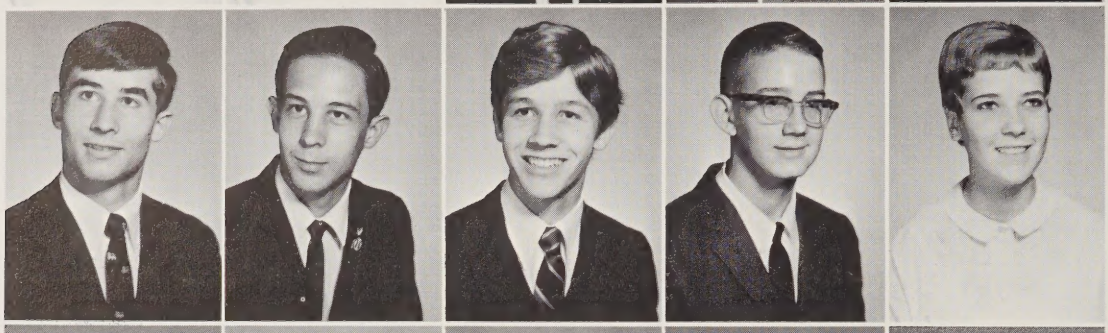
Dona Fairloth
Michael Faw
Dale Fearrington
Steve Fix



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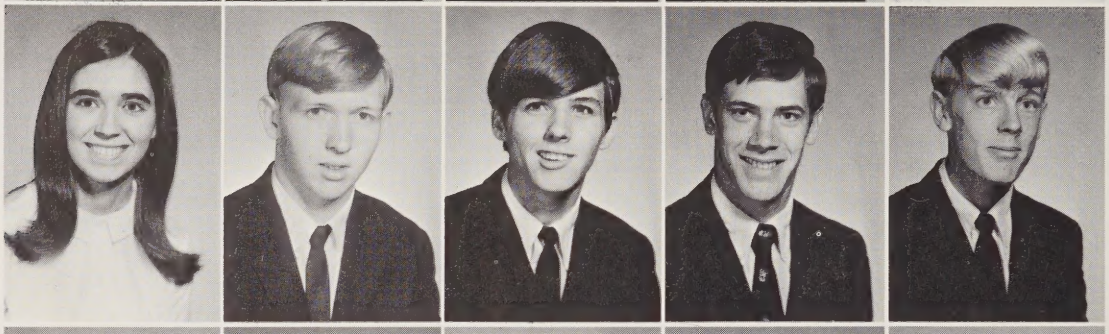
Ned Fowler
Jack Fowles
Sandy Frazier



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Donald Gentry

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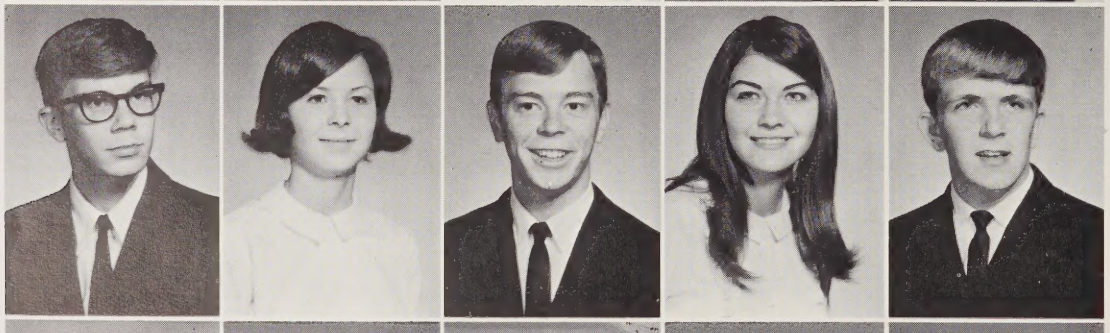
Homer Gough



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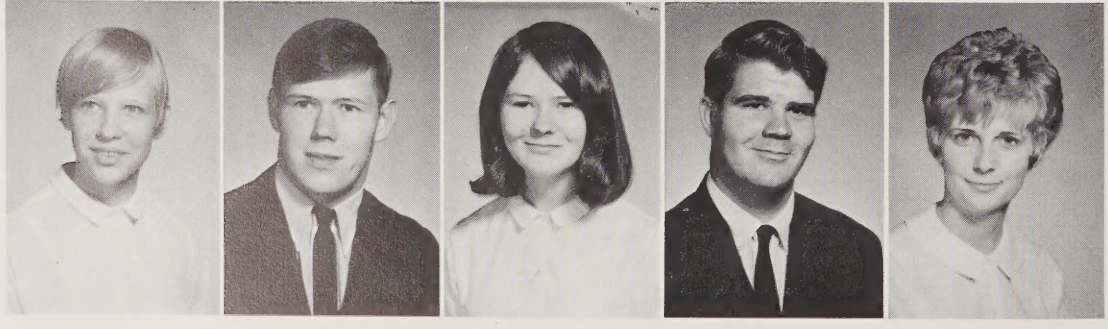
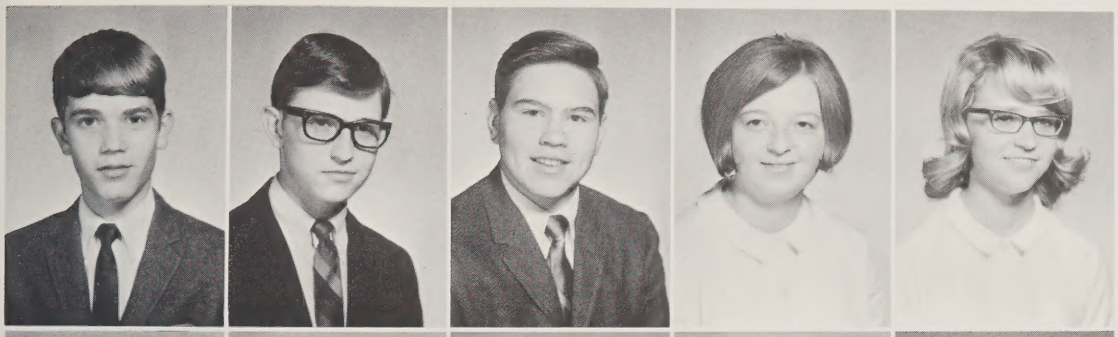
Ricky Grant
Vicki Greene
Kyle Greenwood



Mitzi Griffin
Charlie Griggs
Sandra Griggs
Bobby Groseclose
Amy Hagaman

Tests, tests, and tests! Here's your number and seat



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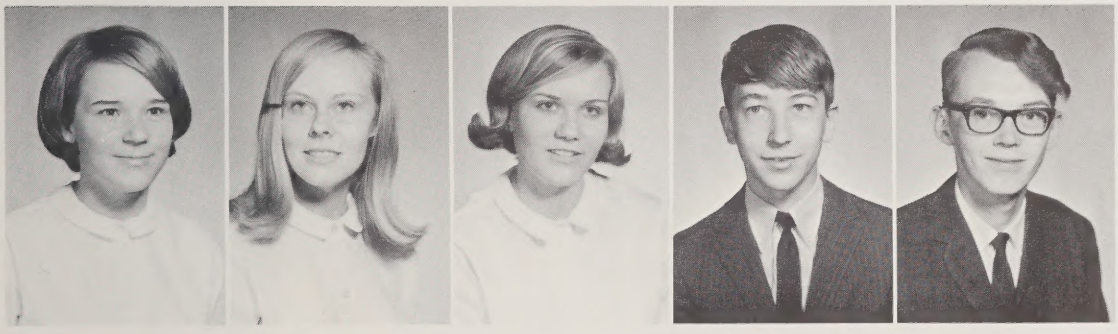
Lin Haynes
Ginny Hayworth
Lynn Hendrix



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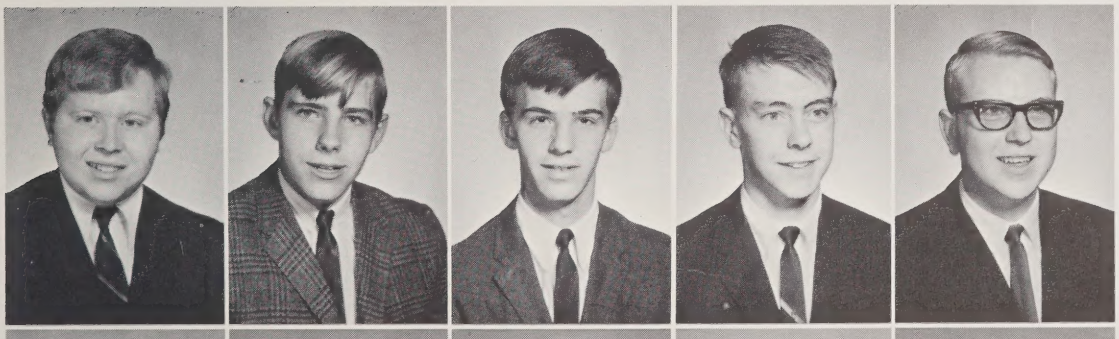

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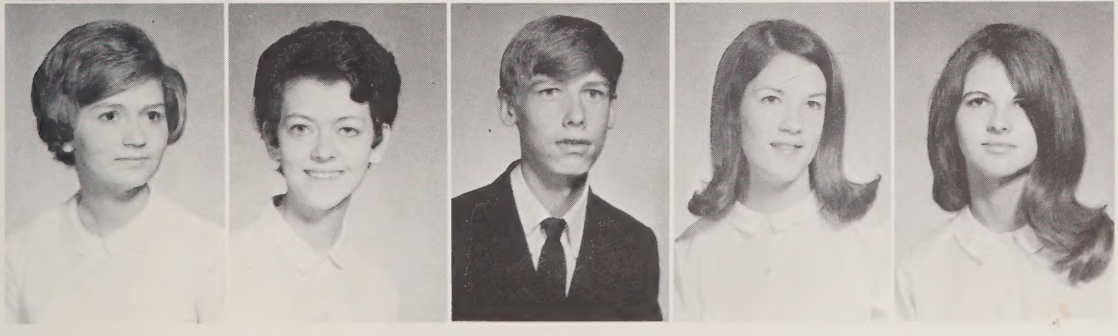


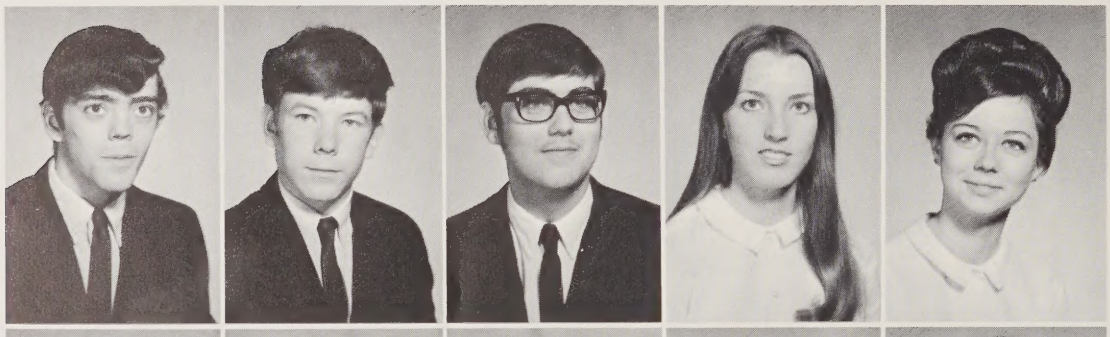
Loretha Hudson
Kay Huff
Lonnie Hughes
Mary Hurtt
Shirley Hutchens

Twelve juniors represent class

Don Hutchins
Tommy Illman
Jacky Ireland

Judi James
Elaine Jarvis
Steve Jarvis

Just before assembly, Bobby Binkley, chairman of the assembly committee, sets up chairs for speaker and guests. Mr. Simpson lends a helping hand and yardstick.



Thurman Jarvis
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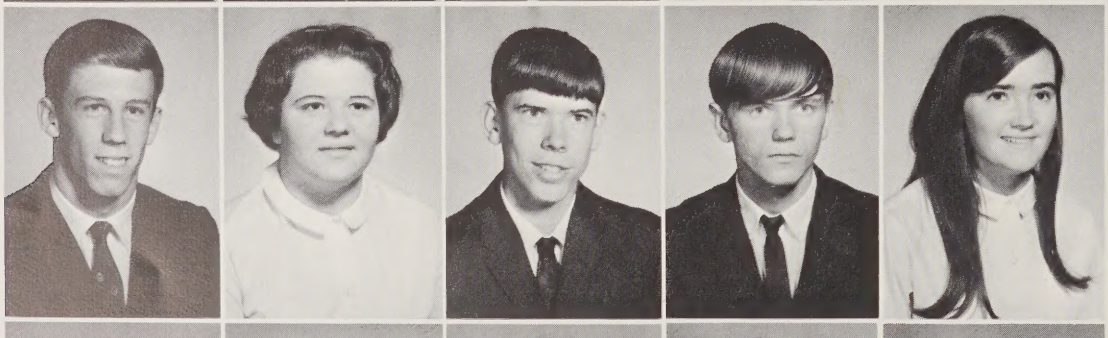

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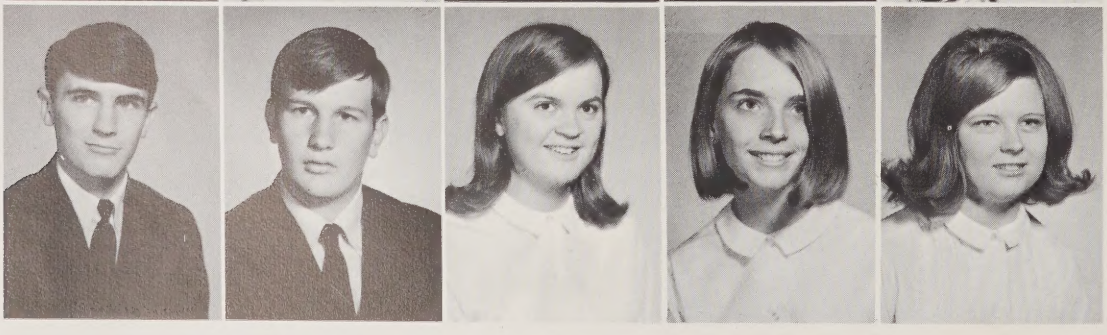


Rick Knott
Terry Kyle
Kathy Ladd
Barbara Landers
Carolyn Langhurst

on the Student Council

Bill Latham
Arne Laurene
Skipper Lawing
Susan Lawrence
Mike Leamon

Cindy Lewis
Vicki Lunsford
Pam Lytle
Allan Mackie
Herbert Matheis

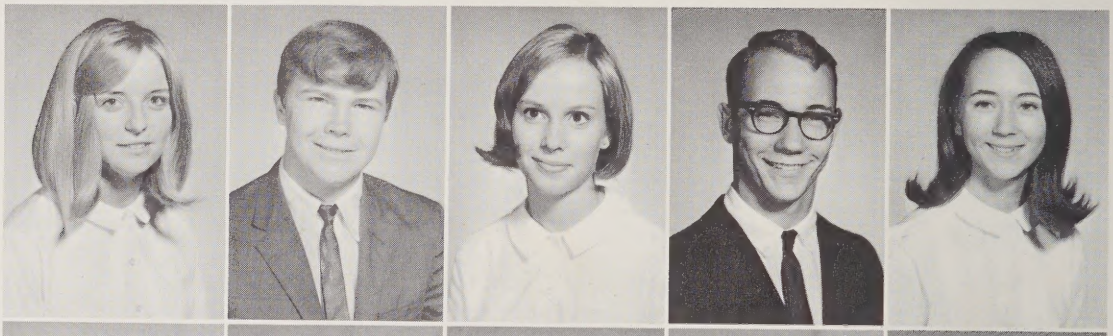
Sharron Mathis
Barbara McBride
Keith McBride
Linda McBride
Pat McCartnev

Juniors serve in high places and are chairmen of many important committees. Here the water tank shed is a temporary retreat for the Student Council representatives. **Front:** Skipper Lawing, Steve Carter, Bobby Binkley, John Flynt. **Back:** Donna Black, Bonnie Collins, GeeGee Grant, Chris Roberts, Jan Postove, Shirley Hutchens, Bonnie Dyson and Emily Todd.

Juniors dress up

Dolly Wendt pauses to smile at the camera while she styles Elaine Rinehart's hair for **If a Man Answers.**

Linda Meade
Mike Messick
Jill Miller
Lindsay Miller
Veda Miller



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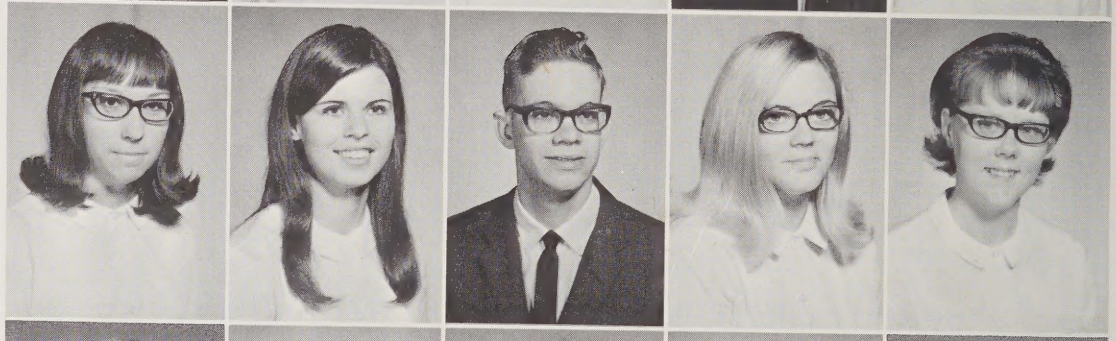

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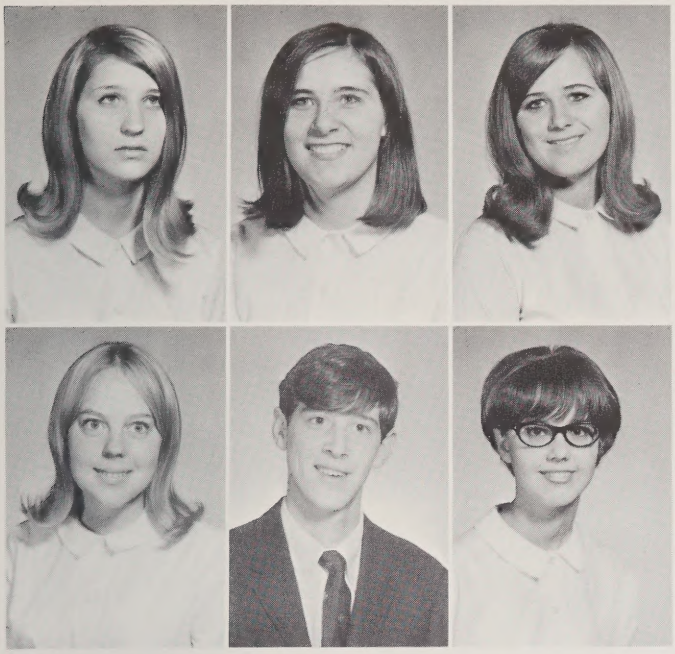
David Norman

back stage and at pep rallies



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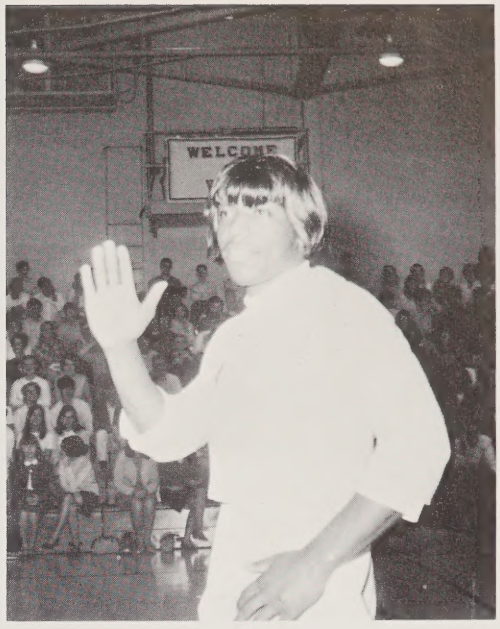


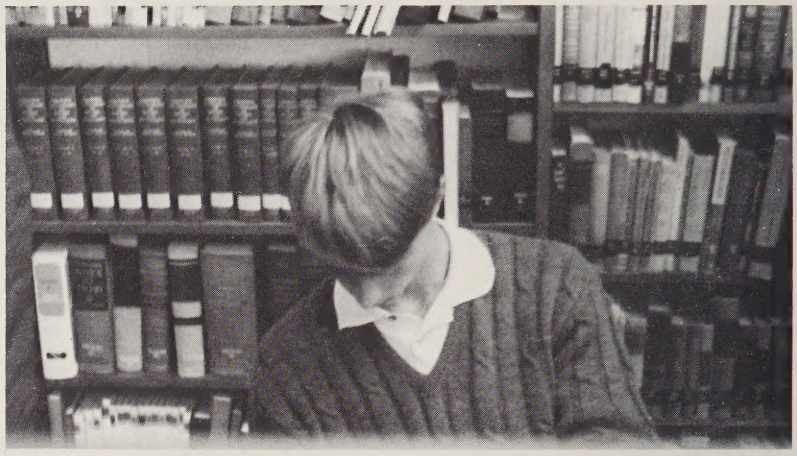
W.H. Hawkins poses as a beauty queen at the Homecoming pep rally.

Tom Phelps
Dean Phillips
Ann Pierce
Sandra Pinnix
Monte Plott

Jan Postove
Gettys Pratt
Ron Rabon
Anita Raby
Jennifer Rash

Karen Ray
Sarah Redding
Tommy Redding
Sue Reeves
Ann Renegar

Studious juniors



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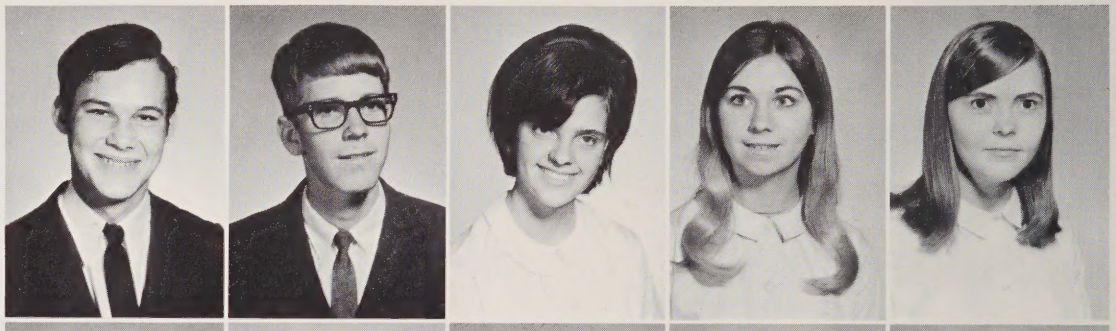

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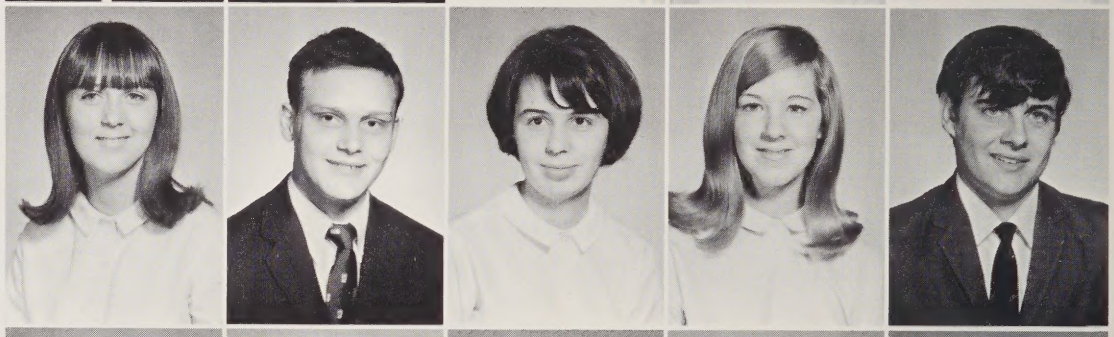
Elaine Rinehart
Martha Robbins



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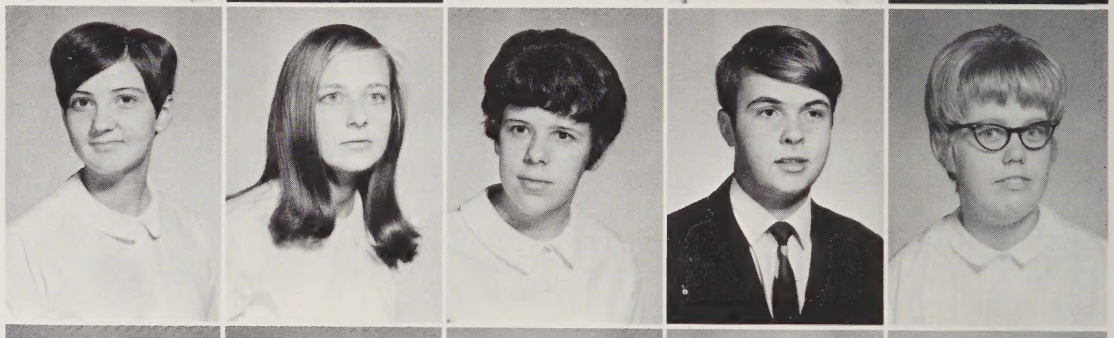
Marilyn Sanderson
Mike Schaffer



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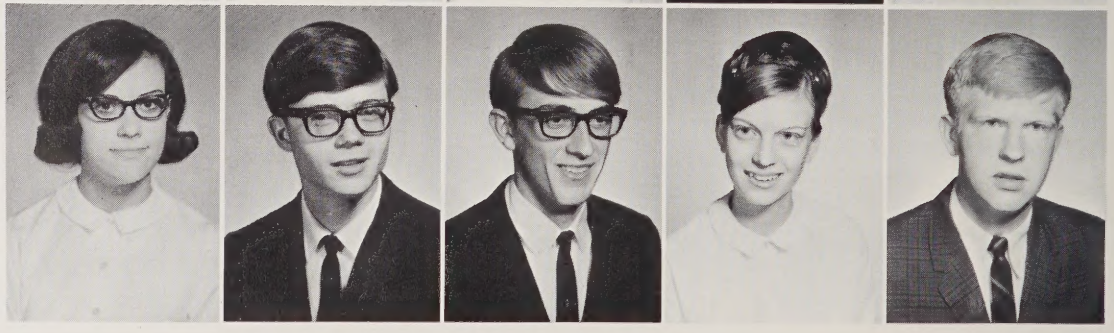

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pore over books

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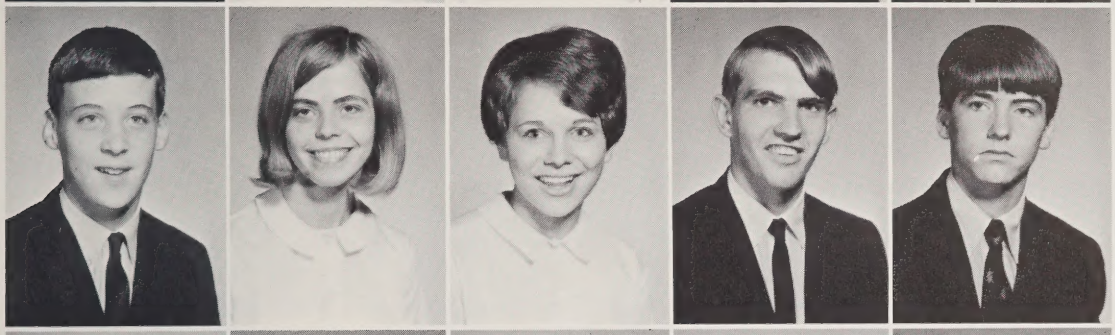

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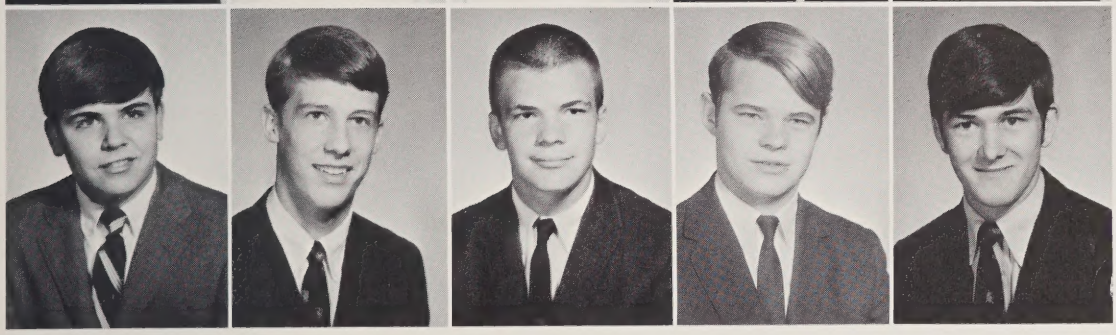

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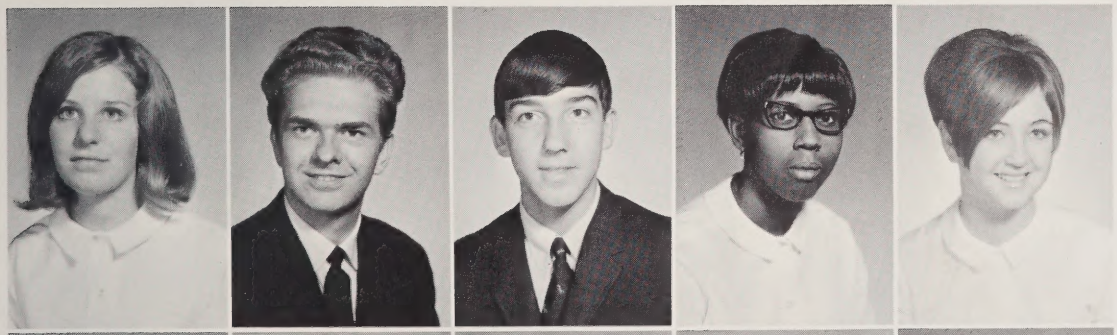

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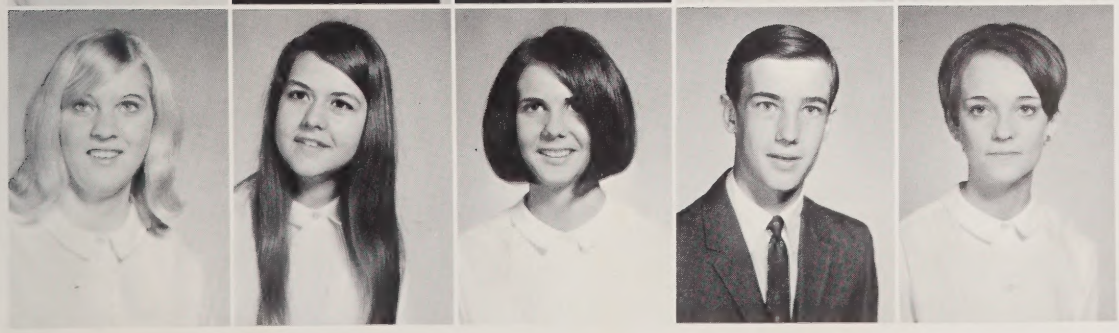

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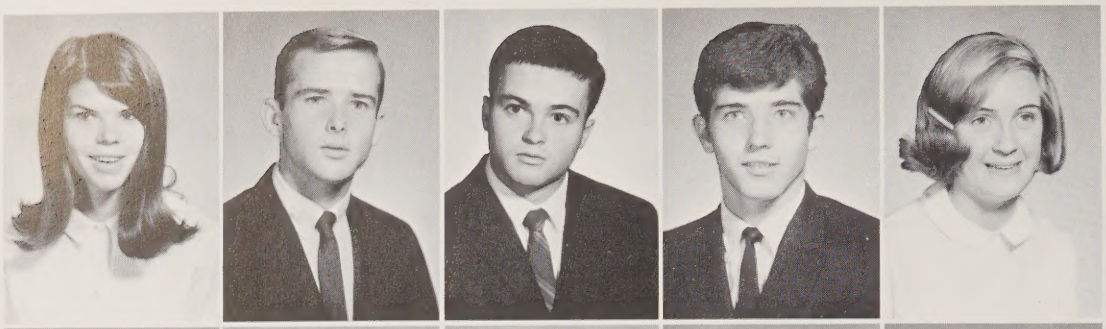

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Marie Swindler

Gary Taylor
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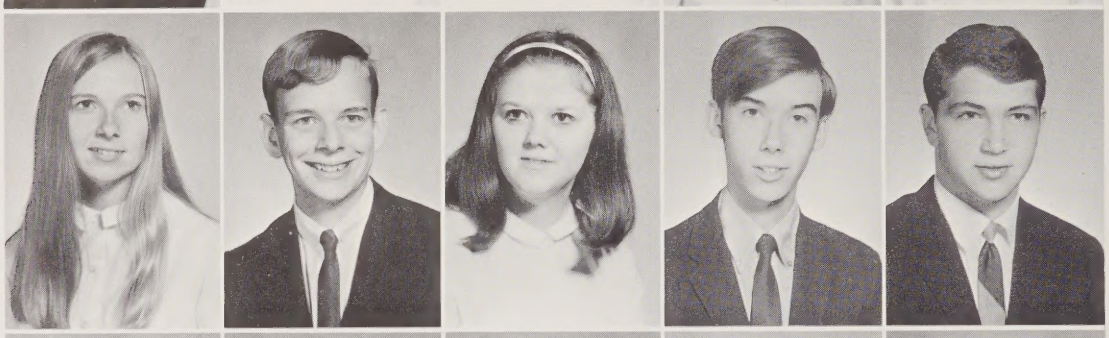
Kathy Tolley
Lisa Transou



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Don Tuttle
Sylvia Vanhoy
Kirk Vernon
Mike Vogler

Sandra Vogler
Terry Wagoner
Wesley Wagoner
Michael Walker
John Wall

Darle Walls
Bill Ward
Billy Waters
June Weatherman
Davis Webster

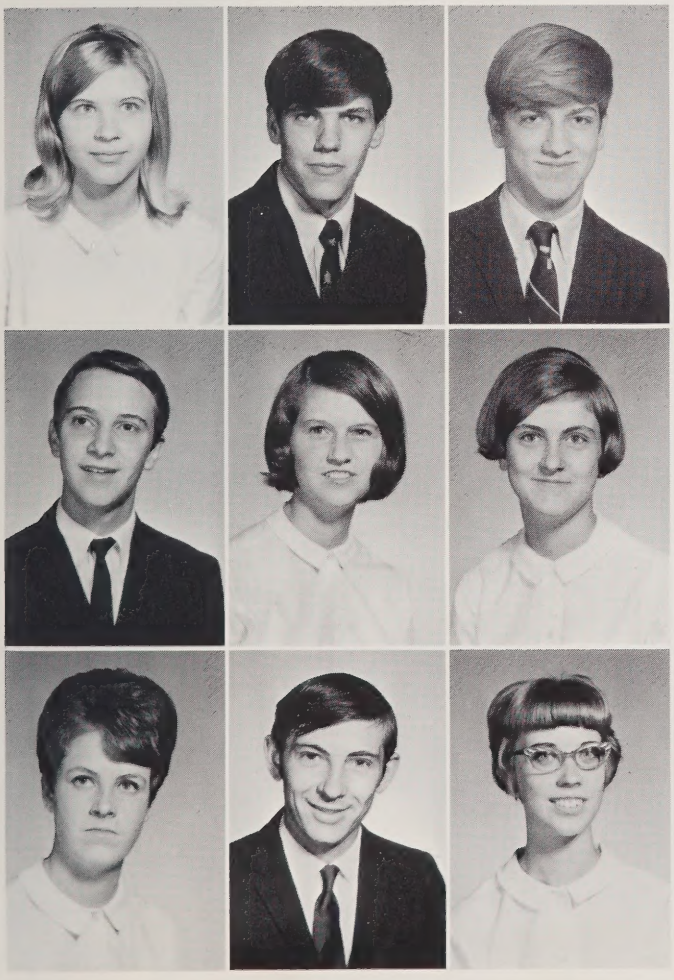
Mark Wein
Kathy Whitaker
Barbara White
Jerry White
Bert Whitener

Aiming for status symbols—ordering rings

Danny Whitman
Perry Wiles
Sonny Williams

Van Williams
Susan Willis
Jewel Wilmoth

Listening to group discussions on the Great White Whale, Mrs. Clarke verifies a point for Lisa Transou, Wayne Allgood and Eddie Hamby.



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Dale Windsor
Vivian Windsor
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Randy Witt
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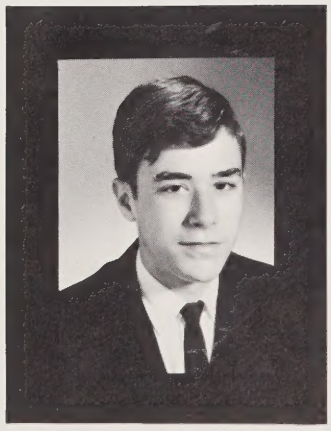


Michael Douglas Smith
September 17, 1952
June 26, 1968

Officers pace enthusiastic sophomores,

Mrs. Kathryn Lane, chairman of the sophomore advisors, joins the fun of stringing cans during Spirit Week.

West-itis was the bug caught by sophomores during the first few weeks of school. And they kept the bug all year!

Lilies of the Field, Dinny and the Witches and the Follies attracted some of the talented sophomores in both acting and off-stage positions. Ticket sales for the plays and candy sales aided the financial situation of the class.

Musically inclined sophomores sang and played instruments for the chorus and band. Some joined publications.

Class representatives to the student council added their enthusiasm and ideas, brought ideas from their homerooms and joined to put new theories into practice.

J.V. cheerleaders led the students in spirit and pep at jv games. In football and basketball, jv athletes set a record by winning more games than any other jv teams in the history of West. Sophomore athletes also took part in wrestling, track, baseball, softball, ping pong, speedball, girls' basketball and volleyball.

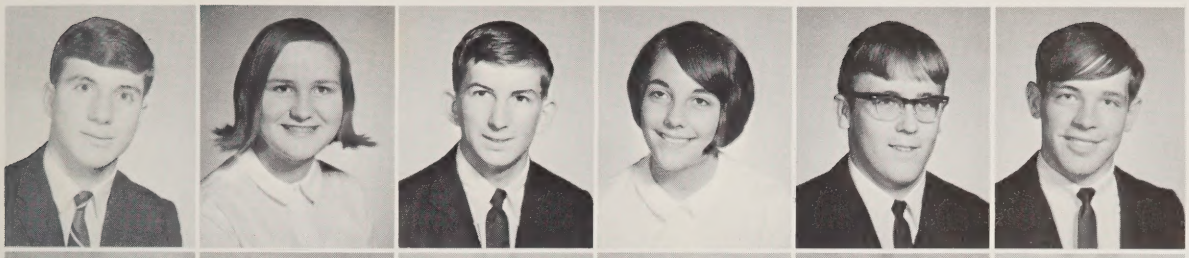
Class projects were successful. Honors were won during Spirit Weeks for decorating doors, designing a spirit basketball and attending sporting events. Capable officers and homeroom presidents organized plans for the prom.

Even with so many extra curricular activities, the Class of 71 managed to keep their academic standards high. Study halls and driver training were two new class adjustments. New subjects were chemistry, biology and Spanish.

Spirit and enthusiasm shine from the '71 Class. Standing together, they keep their class strong and have begun to polish their mark at West Forsyth High School. A glow comes into their eyes every time they sing the Alma Mater.

Sophomores often do their own thing, but right now the officers do things for the prom, the highlight of the year. Mike Waller, treasurer adds a few more needed pennies. Examining suggestions contributed by classmates is Frankie Hunter, sophomore president. And Beth Alspaugh writes a request to a musical group as part of her duties as secretary of the class.

spirit-packed Titans



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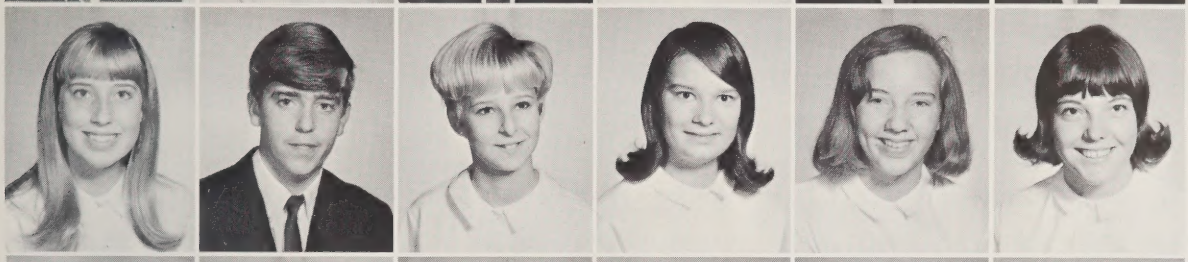
Doug Anderson
Jim Ash



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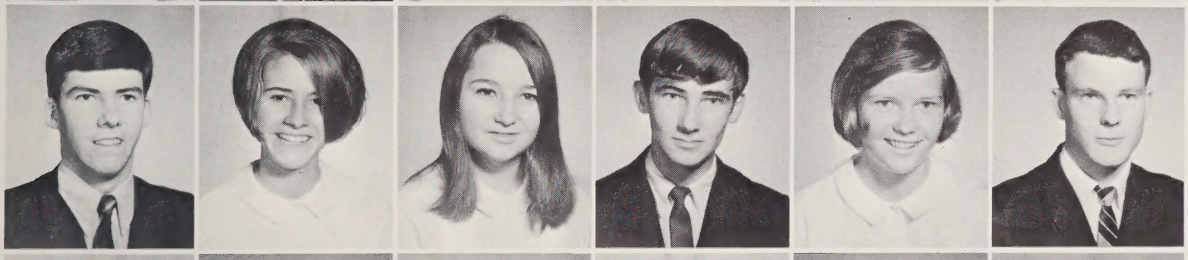

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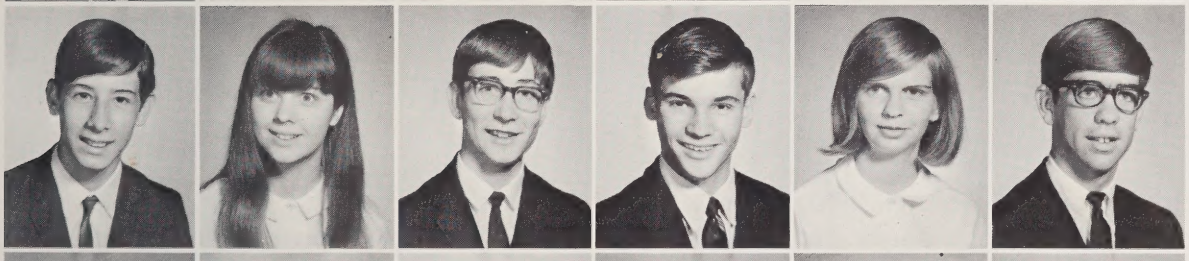

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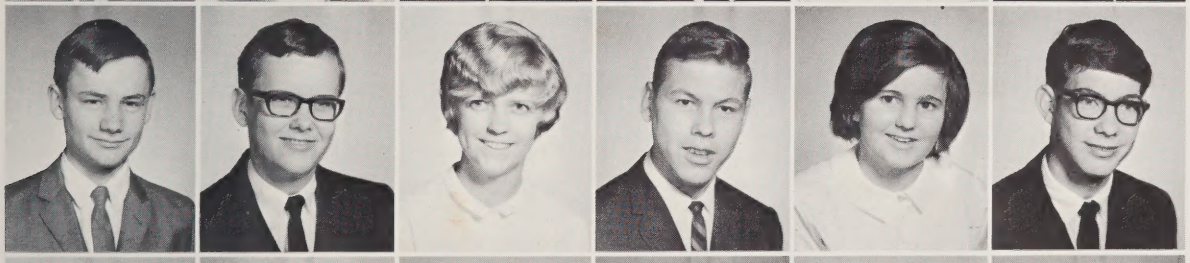

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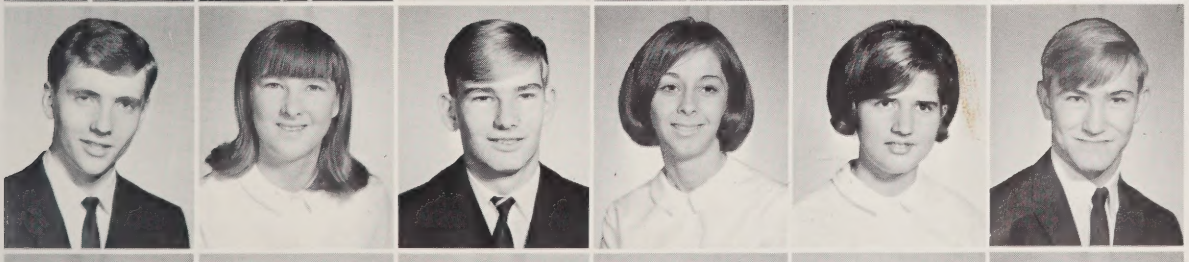

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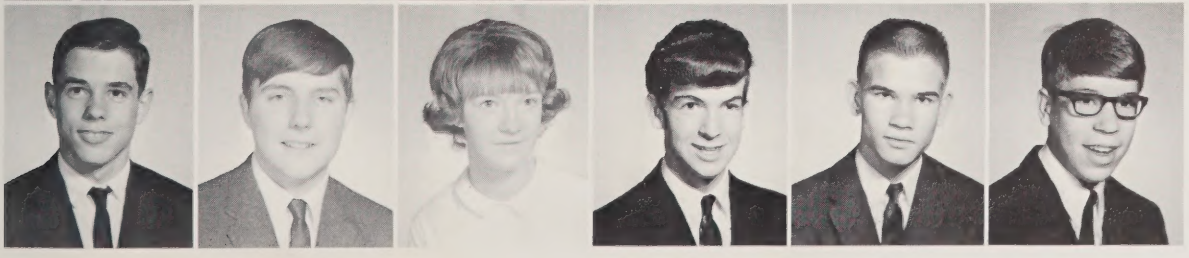

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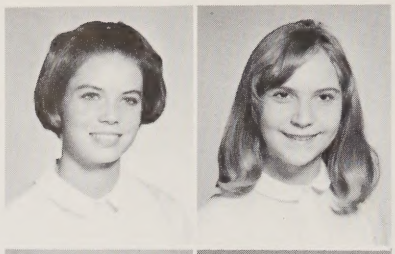

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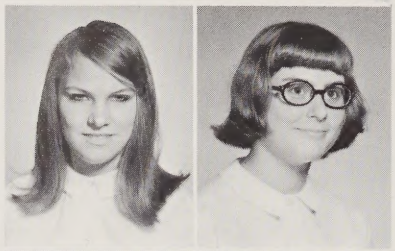
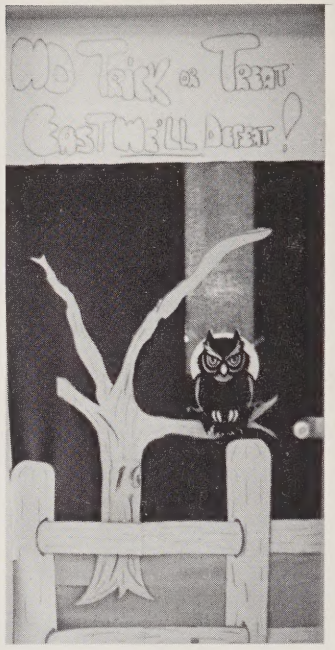
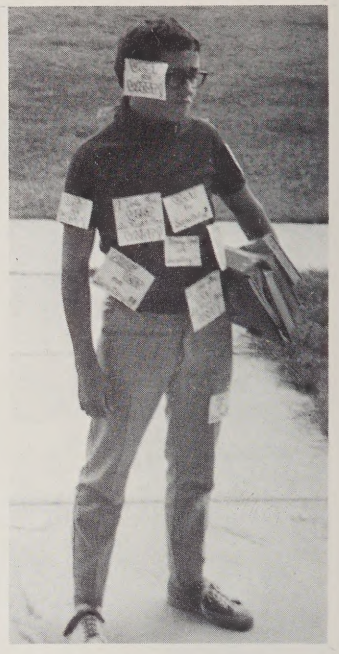


Kyle Buchanan
Tim Byerly

Participating in Spirit Week, sophomores win first place for decorating Mr. Royster's door (bottom left). Gary Vance, wearing favorite candidate tags, joins the world of school politics.





Sophs pep up

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Dana Campbell
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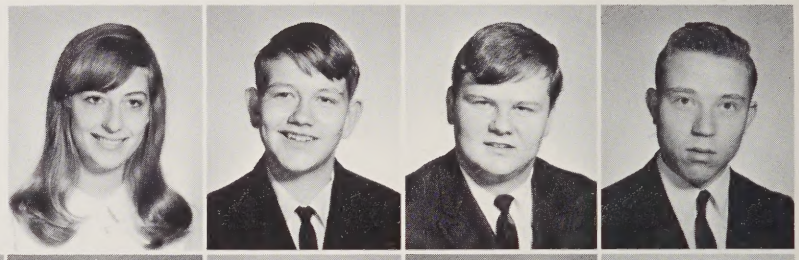
Mike Carleton



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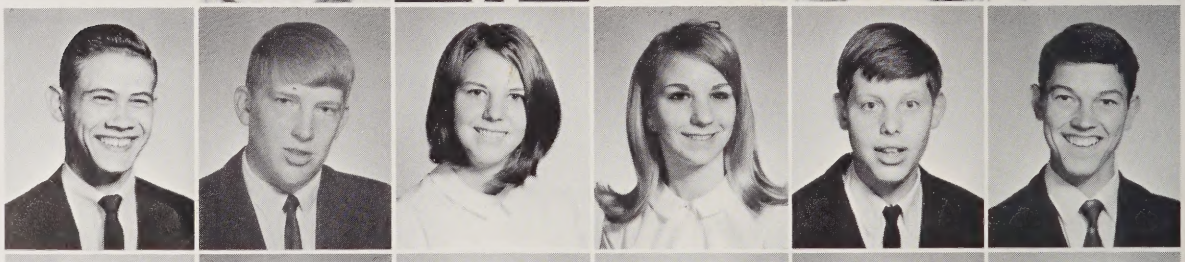

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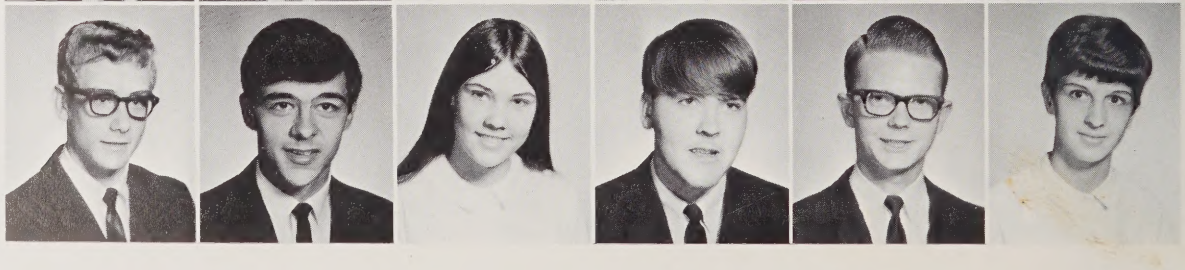

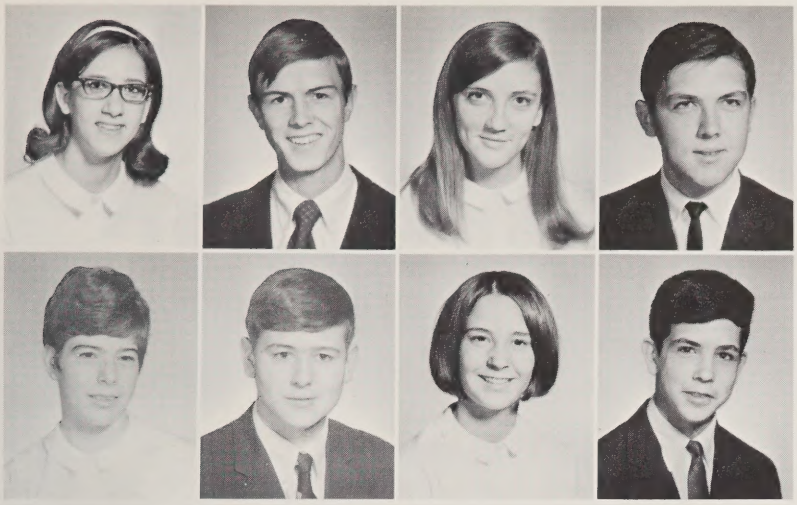

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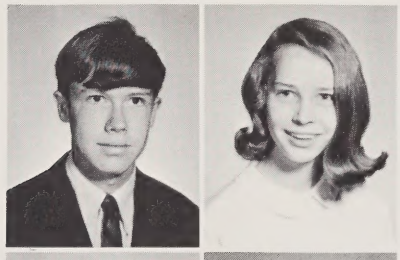
school spirit, elections



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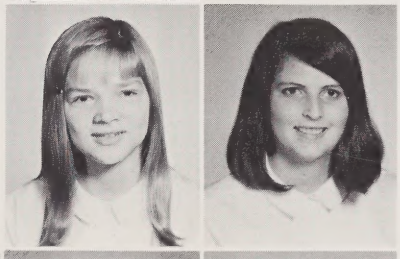

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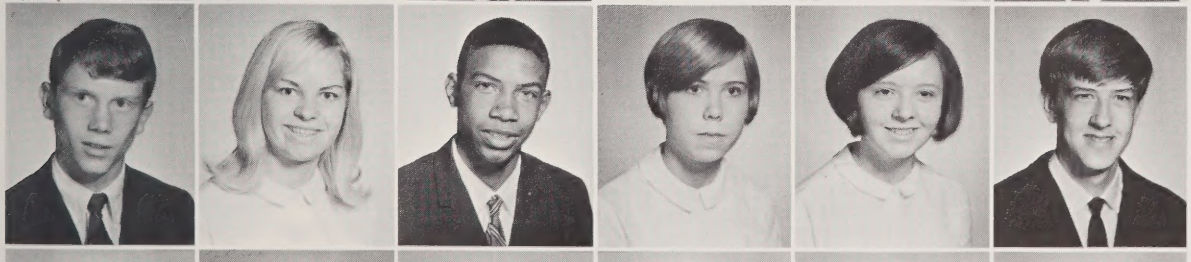

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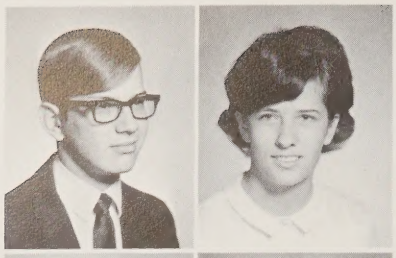

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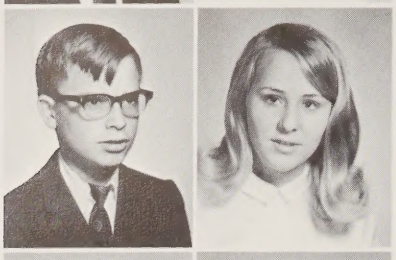

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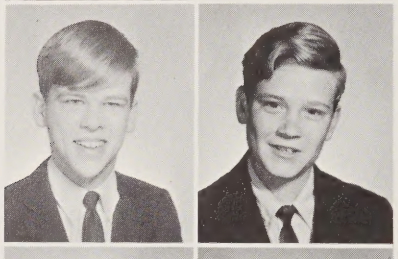

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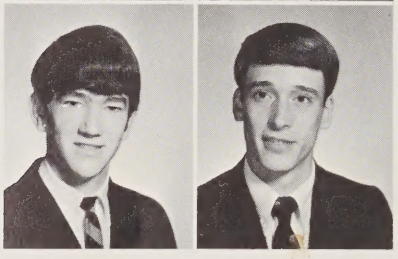
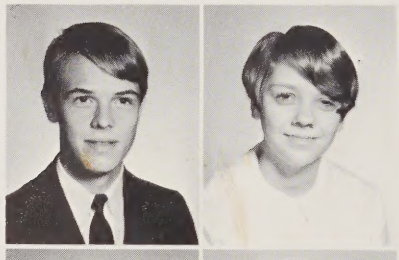


David Fletcher
Steve Flora

Giving reports, serving on committees and adding their opinions to Council discussions are some responsibilities of sophomore Student Council representatives. **Front:** Connie Dull, Nancy Vest. **Back:** Jim Southern, Dianne Gabard, George Wackerhagen, Penny Minick, Jim Conrad.

Fred Flynt
Becky Foster



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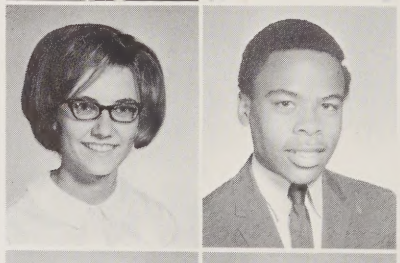

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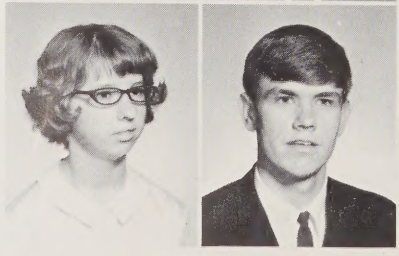

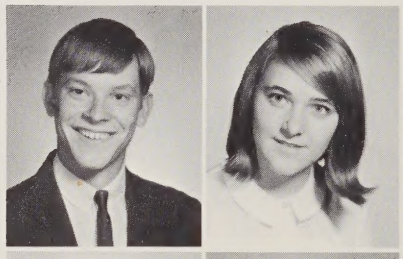

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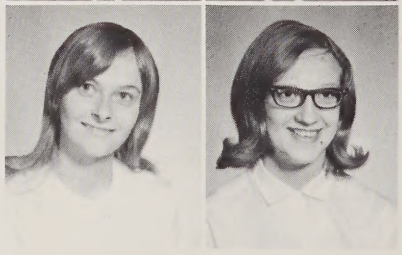
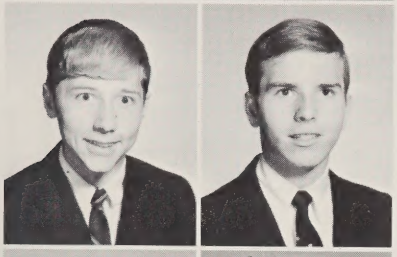


Grenda Gerry
Phyllis Glasscock

Fourteen sophomores strengthen Student Council

Pat Gibson
Phillip Glenn



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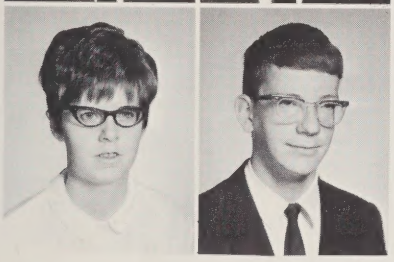
Danny Gough

Randy Grimes
Dennis Gwaltney



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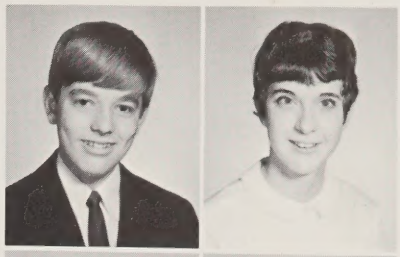
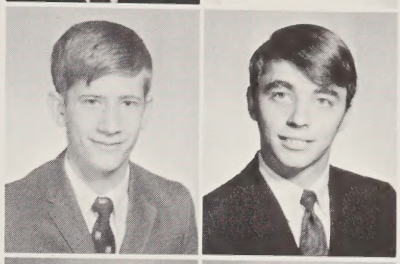
Dana Hall



Richard Hamby
Debbie Harding



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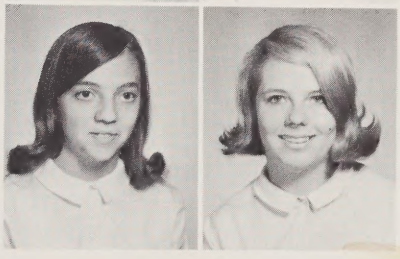
Ronnie Hartman

Judy Hatfield
Glenda Hatley

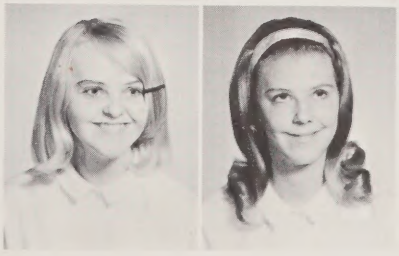


Robin Hauser
Frankie Hayas

Discussing high school government are some of the sophomore student council representatives: Carolyn Stanley, Marsha Clarke, Julie Rinehart, Vicki McNeill, Randy Grimes, David Rodgers, Beth Mitchell.

Elaine Haynes
Joe Hazelwood

Brenda Hege
Debbie Hendrix



Jolene Hiatt
Jill Hicks

Sophomore athletes set new tradition:

Lee Hicks
Martha Hicks
Mike Hicks
Byron Hill
Steve Hinson
Melinda Holcomb

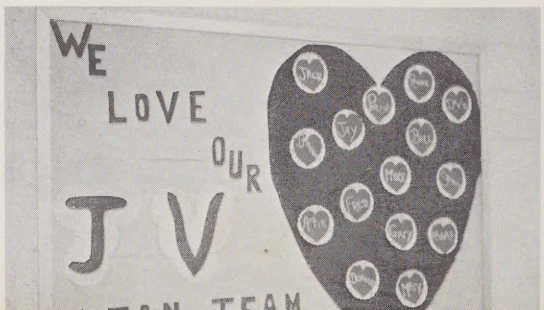
Pam Holcomb
Johnny Holder
Mike Holder
Cherie Holton
Diane Horger
Mike Howell

Betty Hudson
Kathy Hundley
Randy Hundley
Denise Hunt
Jan Hunt
Betsy Hunter

Frankie Hunter
Janie Hutchins
Debbie Jarvis
Donna Jarvis
Randy Jarvis
Sherry Jarvis

Jim Jessee
Bette Johnson
Butch Jones
Peggy Jones
Ralph Jones
Ronnie Jones

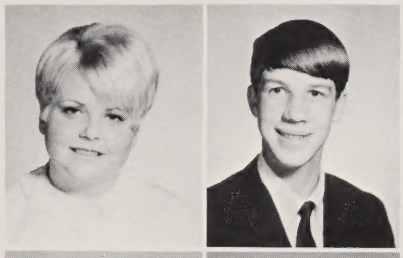
Bobbie Joyce
Celeste Joyner
Lynne Keller
Betty Ketner
Jane Ketner
Bonnie Keyser



Sophomores honor JV basketball team and display affection on bulletin board.

winning games!

Phillip Glenn, JV captain, bounces down the court to a victory.



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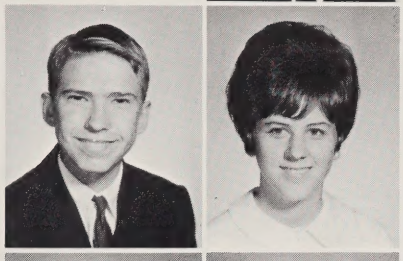
Donald Kinney

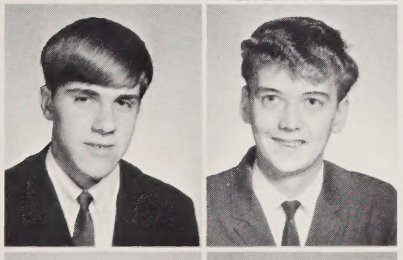


Mike Kirkpatrick
Luann Kiser

Portia Lane
Etta Lashmit

Sharon Latten
Faye Lawson

Kay Lawson
Bruce Leagans



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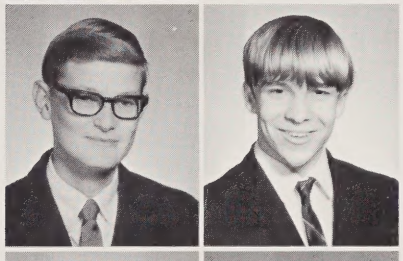
Danny Lineberry

Phyllis Loftin
Wade Long

Jon Lott
Wanda Gale Marshall



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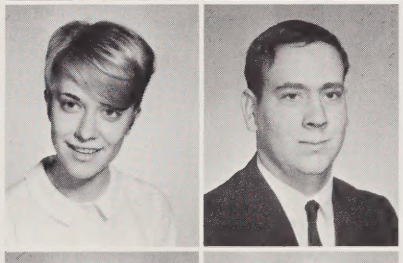
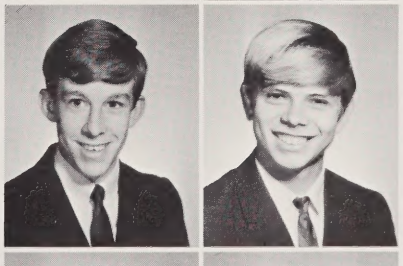
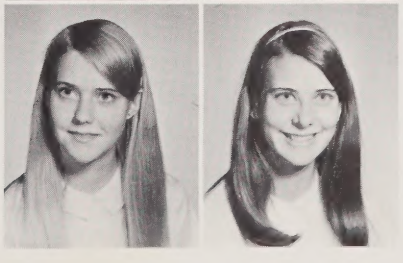
Mike Masten



Brigitte Matheis
James Matthews



David McIntosh
Troy McMillan



Vicki McNeill
Pat Meadows

Troy McMillan is top sales man and

Pam Mellert
Randy Melton
Sherry Melton
Ronnie Merritt
Sybil Miller
David Miner

Penny Minick
Sandy Minor
Beth Mitchell
Charlie Mock
Mike L. Mock
Mike T. Mock

Margaret Moore
Marie Moore
Sue Moser
Sam Moss
Vickie Montsinger
Becky Mott

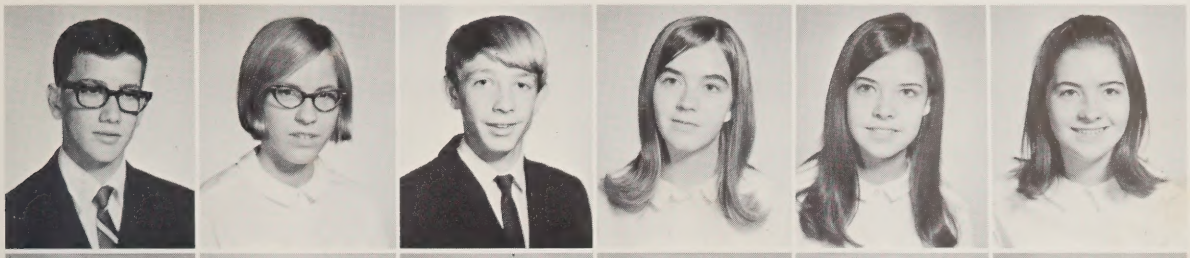
Becki Mustian
Bill Myers
Lee Myers
Marjorie Nash
Jerome Neal
Connie Nestor

Donny Newsom
Paul Nifong
Dianne Nuckles
Barry Orrell
Claire Owens
Connie Padgett

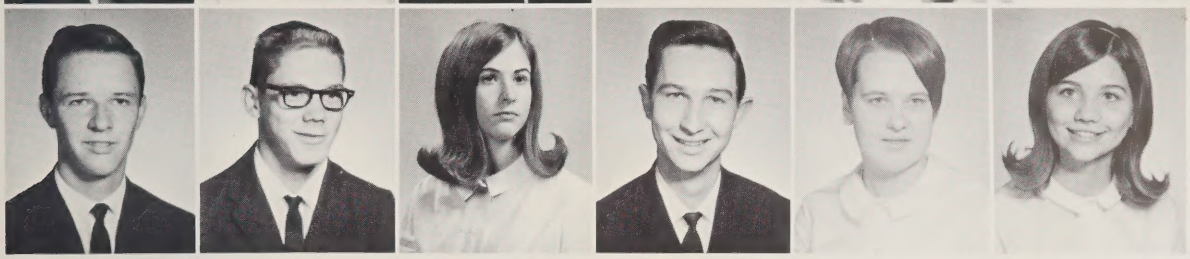
Linda Parker
Danny Peddycord
Debbie Peel
Ronald Petree
Glenda Petty
Buck Pfaff

Teen Pfaff
Cathy Phillips
Steve Phillips
Robert Poe
Ginger Porter
Debbie Poteat

the class of '71 is Tops in candy sales

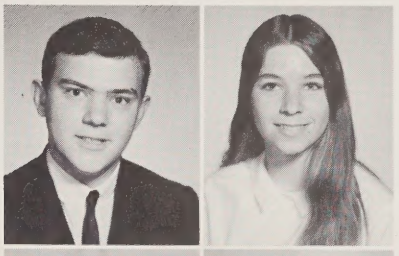


David Prudhomme
Carol Pruett
Mike Raisig
Suzanne Rawls
Susan Reams
Sharon Reavis



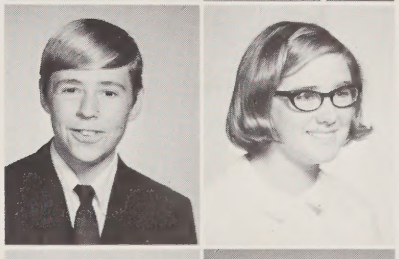
Artie Redding
Willis Reeves
Jane Reisenweaver
Ben Renegar
Sandra Rice
Pam Richards

Troy McMillan finally reaches the bottom of the kitchen sink—21 flavors of ice cream. As top candy salesman, Troy won a TV set. But the ice cream treat was a reward for being in the top homeroom, Miss McMaster's. Incidentally every member of the homeroom received all the ice cream he could eat at one sitting.



Eddie Ridings
Julie Rinehart

Donna Roberson
Ken Roberts



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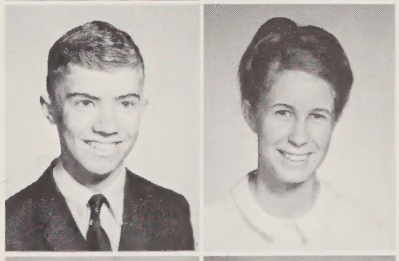
Teresa Roberts



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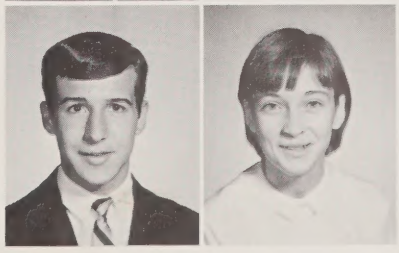
Gay Lynn Rock



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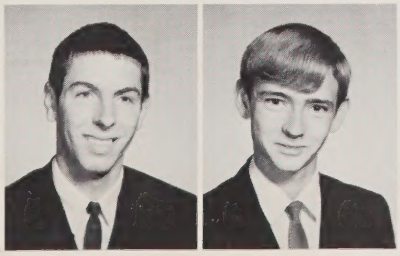
Cathy Rogers



Mike Rominger
Daryl Rothrock

Sam Sarvis
Don Scales
Joe Schuyler
Ronald Scott
Shannon Shell
Benny Shelton

Robin Shoaf
Randy Shoemaker
Terry Shore
Pam Sidden
Joni Sides
Ken Slate

Pam Slater
Dennis Sloan
Ray Sloan
Ben Smith
David Smith
Doug Smith

HR presidents plan activities

Steve Smith
Stuart Smith

Bonnie Spaugh
Donna Spaugh

Judy Snider
Jim Southern

Mary Sprinkle
Carolyn Stanley

Alan Sowers
Becky Spainhour

Janice Stanley
Margaret Steelman

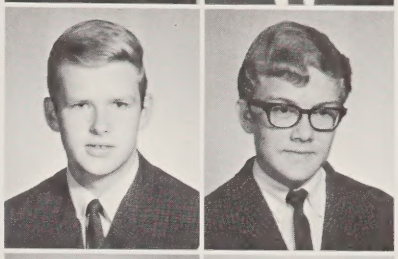
Tony Spainhour
Mike Sparrow

Gail Stewart
Diane Stockert

Having been called to a meeting of the sophomore Executive Council, homeroom presidents Russ Weideman, Keith Bridges, Lynne Keller, Frankie Hunter, Bonnie Spaugh, Don Scales, and Ben Smith plan to discuss ideas for the class prom.

for 380 sophomores

Jimmie Stockert
Jerry Sumners



Ric Swaim
Pete Taylor

Byron Tesh
Clark Tesh

Ricky Tesh
Becky Thomas

Terry Trail
Chuck Umstead

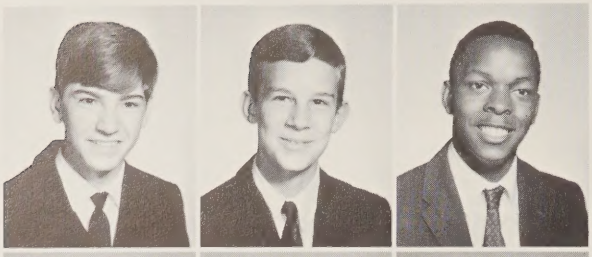
Art Underwood
Kim Underwood

Gary Vance
Donnie Vaughn

Ronnie Vaughn
Nancy Vest

Serving as committee chairmen for the sophomore class prom are homeroom presidents: Marty Ayers, Richard Hamby, Brigette Matheis, Mike Raisig, David Cook, Steve Flora, Steve Bigsby.

Class of '71 hits the target—high school



Grant Vogler
George Wackerhagen
Gary Walker

Mike Waller
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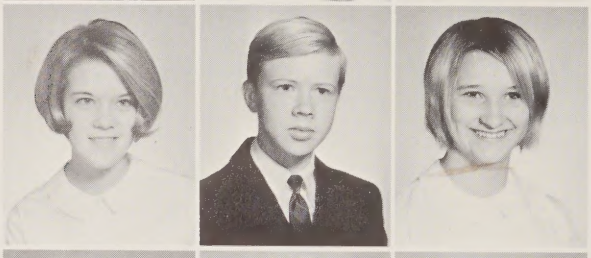

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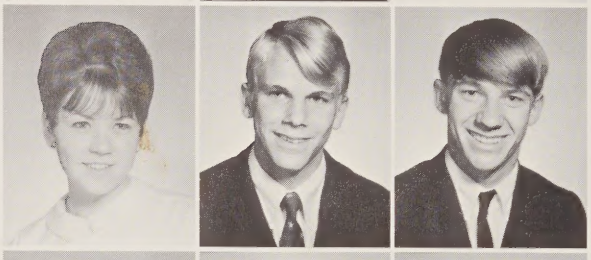
Keith Warner
Kathy Waters



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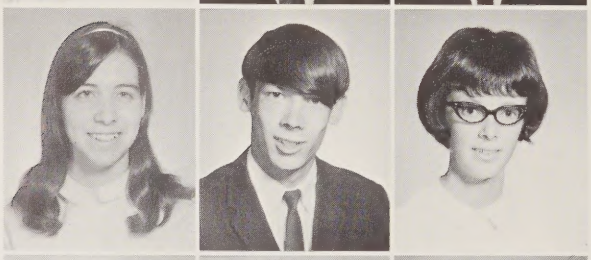
Mark Webster
Russ Weideman



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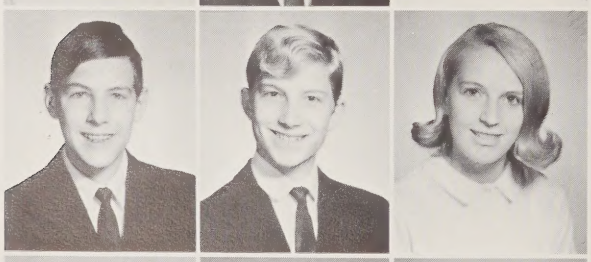
Dennis Weir
Donna West



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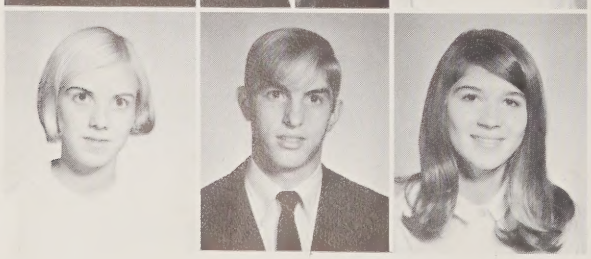

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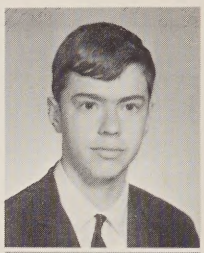
Mickey Williams
Debby Williard

Pam Williard



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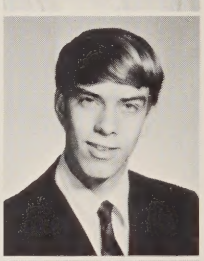
John Wood

Cindi Wooters



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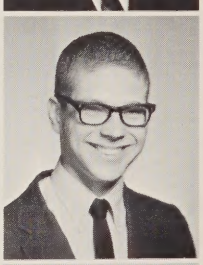

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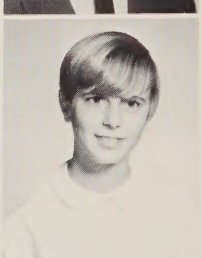


Cathy Zafoot

Professorate

Squeamish stomachs have no place in biology classes. Students emerge from dramatics with future dreams in their eyes. Home Ec brings on hunger pains, while French, Latin and Spanish students leave class trying to untie their tongues. English scholars nod over **Macbeth** or **Moby Dick** or **Silas Marner.**

Coping with nodding students, garbled tongues, hunger pains, starry eyes and sensitive digestions, the West faculty strives to instill a love for learning and an understanding of education. Pointing the educational arrows at these targets, instructors, still young in heart, train the eyes and hands of the Titans to shoot straight for their mark.

Questions

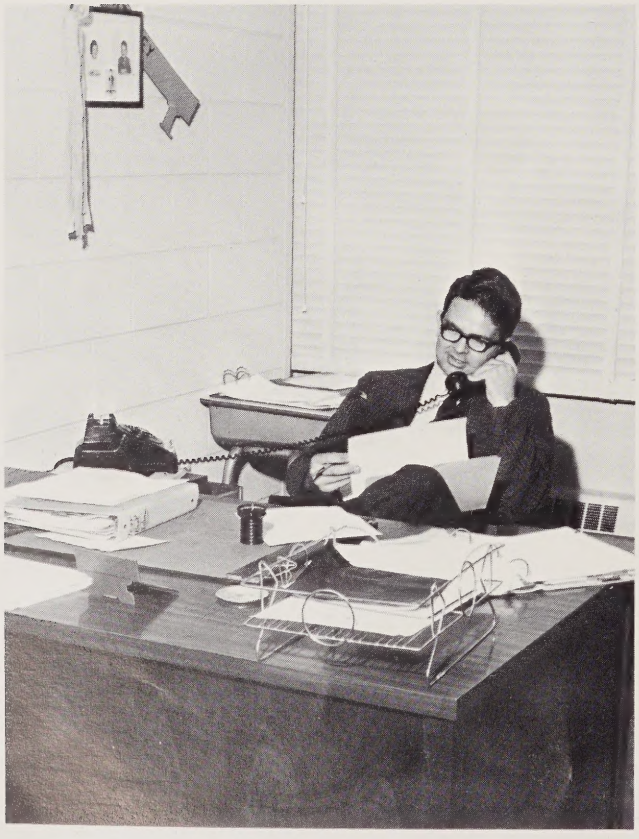
Mr. Harold E. Simpson

U.N.C.-C.H., M.A., A.B.
Principal

A genuine interest in student affairs combined with his excellent administrative abilities makes Mr. Harold E. Simpson an experienced and involved educator. With painstaking attention, he directs West Forsyth by telephone, yardstick and a unique understanding of his faculty and student body.

Mr. Bill Holliday has had an active first year at West. He supervised the candy sales, which proved highly successful for all classes. As assistant principal, Mr. Holliday is often in conference with Principal Harold Simpson. Late students and truants find Mr. Holliday firm but just. His other duties in the Titan camp include bus coordinator and Key Club advisor.

Secretarial assistance to the administration comes from Mrs. Irene Harper and Mrs. Betty Johnson. They sign excuses, type official forms and tolerate students who are always running around the office. Besides all their duties, they manage to find time to call people to the office for one reason or another.



Mr. W.O. (Bill) Holliday, Jr.

Wake Forest, U.N.C.-C.H.; B.S., M.E.
Assistant Principal

Mrs. Betty Johnson

Draughon Business College
Secretary

Mrs. Irene Harper

Ideal Business College
Secretary

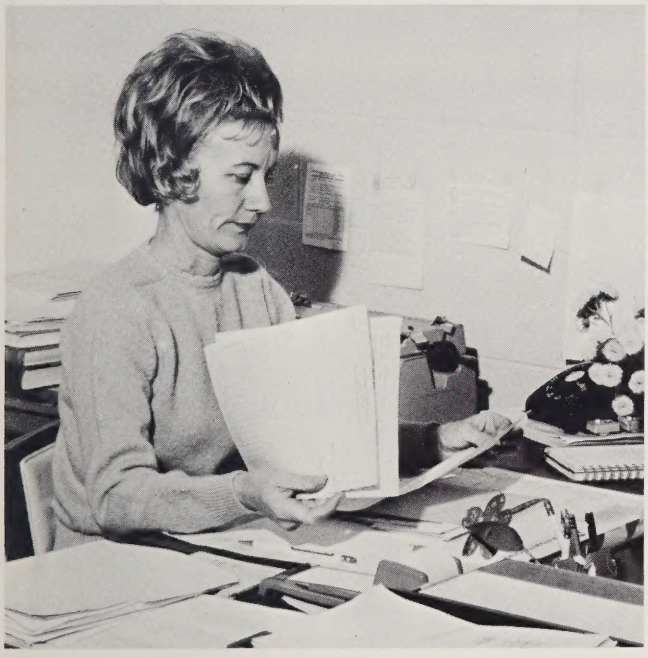
have answers in Administration Building

Miss Rosalie T. Adams

Catawba, Appalachian, B.S., M.A.
Guidance Counselor

Mr. Marcus Allred

Guilford College, A.B.
Guidance Counselor



Mrs. Mildred Furches

Guidance Secretary

Wondering what courses to take, which college to go to, or just plain bugged over some problem? Then the guidance department is the place to go! West students are fortunate in having two guidance counselors to assist them this year. Mr. Marcus Allred joined Miss Rosalie Adams in providing free advice for Titans with any questions or problems.

When both counselors are tied up with work, Mrs. Mildred Furches, guidance secretary, lends a hand in answering general questions concerning tests and college applications.

Just across the hall, the library abounds with all sorts of books and periodicals. Mrs. Mary Vance and Mrs. Lou Harper are constantly processing new materials to keep the library up-to-date. Mrs. Vance also directs the Library Club.

Mrs. Lou Harper

Louisburg Jr. College
Asst. Librarian

Mrs. Mary Vance

U.N.C.-G., A.B., M.E.
Librarian

Jump, sing, saw—action in Building 6

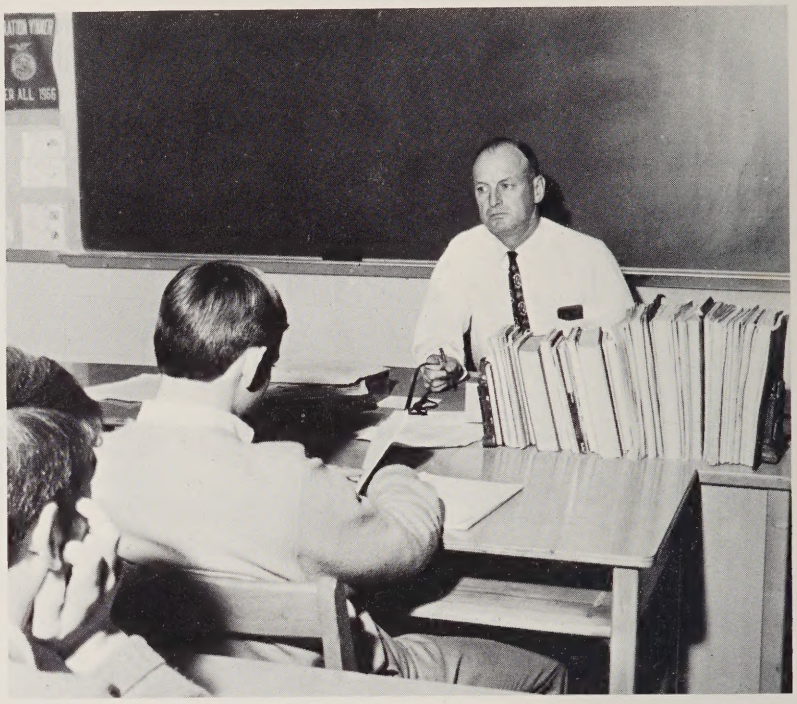
Miss Norma Jean Harbin

Appalachian, B.S.
Physical Education

Keeping the girls at West in shape is the job of Miss Norma Jean Harbin. Gym classes provide a varied assortment of activities including sports, physical fitness tests, and all types of dancing. In addition to instructing physical education classes, Miss Harbin coaches all girls' athletic teams, intramural sports, and advises the Girls Athletic Association.

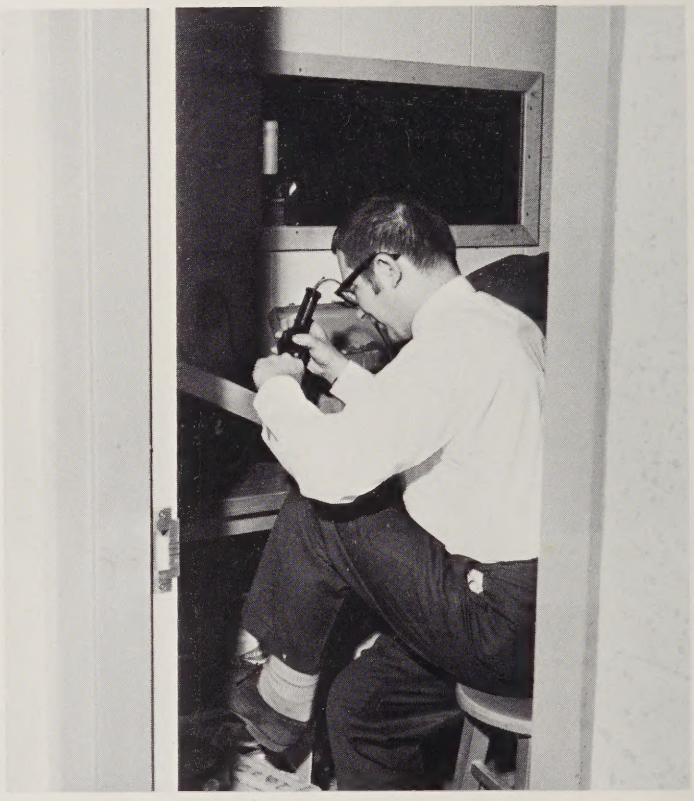
Down in the shop, Mr. Thomas Pratt shows his shop classes how to use lathes and other power tools properly. Agriculture classes learn useful farming techniques such as contour plowing and crop rotation. Mr. Pratt also sponsors the Future Farmers of America.

Melodies come alive when Mr. John Foreman reveals his musical talents. In handling West's music department, Mr. Foreman conducts classes in band, chorus, and music theory. Highlighting any musical production, the stage band and Meistersingers are his specialty.



Mr. Thomas Pratt

V.P.I., B.S.
Agriculture



Mr. John Foreman

West Chester State College, Eastman School of Music, B.S., M.M.
Music

A school for home and family—future living

Mrs. Margaret McLeod

Guilford College, B.A.
English, Family Living, Everyday Government

Understanding oneself and his relationship with others is a frequent subject discussed in Mrs. Margaret McLeod's family living class. Her everyday government and English students utilize group discussions in order to voice personal opinions on timely topics.

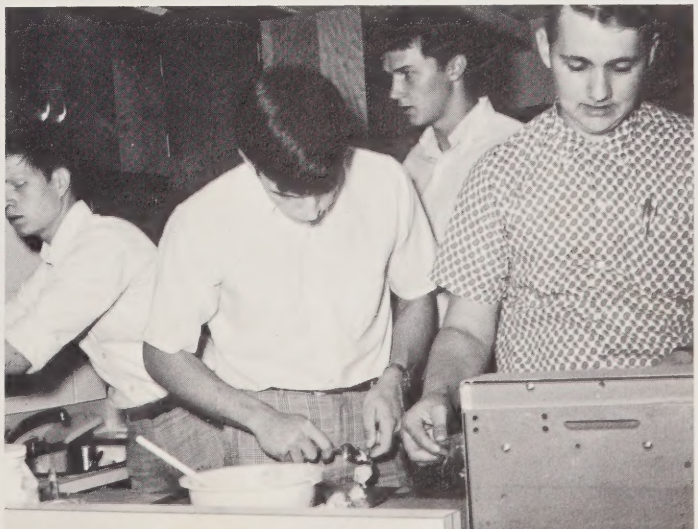
Always willing to offer a cheery smile and a helping hand, West's home economics teachers, Mrs. Elizabeth Greene and Miss Sally Huffman, run the department in an efficient and a fun-learning way. They guide to straighter seams and better nutrition in an effort to build homemaking skills and prepare teenagers for their adult life. Getting involved in their own special manner helps Mrs. Greene and Miss Huffman lend a realistic and personal touch to their courses. It seems natural they serve as co-sponsors for the Future Homemakers of America.

Miss Sally Huffman

U.N.C.-G., B.S.H.E., M.S.H.E.
Home Economics

Mrs. Elizabeth Greene

U.N.C.-G., B.S.H.E.
Home Economics

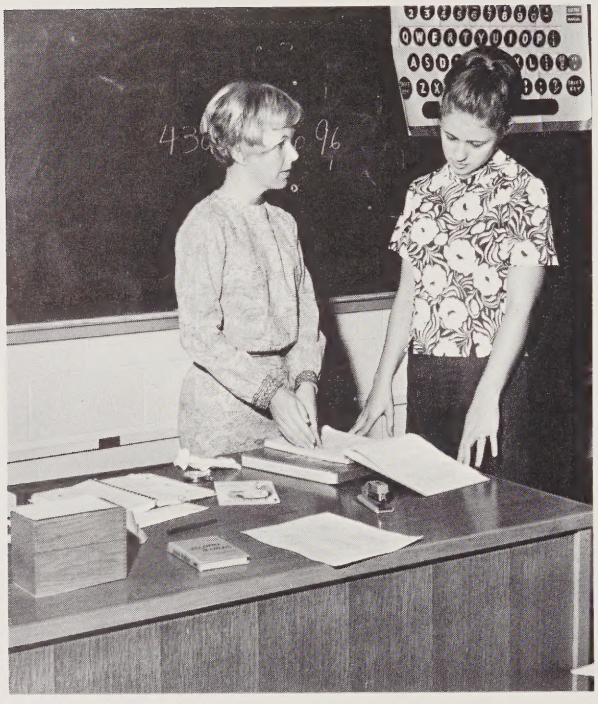


"You name it . . . we cook it!" Steve Brown, Tim Gurganus, Keith Lawson, and Mike Stewart find boys' home ec a most enjoyable class.

The action is in the business world

Mrs. Iris Bridges
Catawba, A.B.
Business Education

Mrs. Audrey Crater
Appalachian, B.S.
Business Education

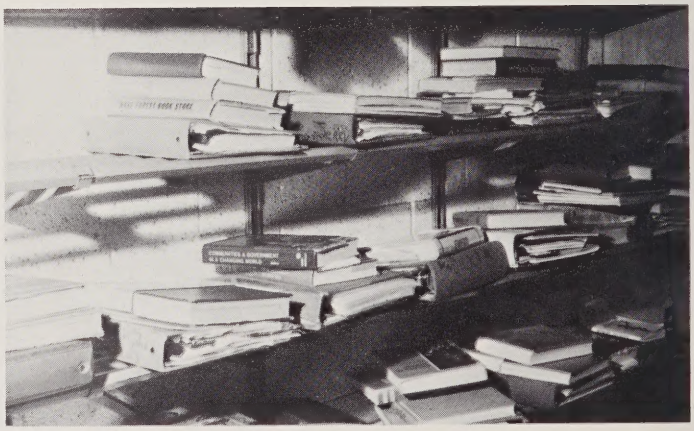


Mrs. Dorothy Russell
Appalachian, B.S.
Business Education

Teaching the fundamentals of bookkeeping and typing fills the workday of Mrs. Iris Bridges. Bookkeeping classes help prepare students for careers in business, while typing demonstrates to students the need for neat and accurate work. Mrs. Bridges acts as sponsor of the Junior Marshals.

Pecking is transformed into a professional style in the typing classes of Mrs. Audrey Crater. She also teaches notehand, an advantage to individuals going into the business world. During summer vacation, Mrs. Crater attended a Student Teacher Supervision Workshop.

Mrs. Dorothy Russell keeps her students busy in all areas of business education. Last summer she gathered new ideas at the Vocational Information Workshop that she attended. Mrs. Russell incorporates these ideas into her typing, shorthand, and office practice classes.



No books are needed in typing classes, just nimble fingers and a quick mind.

Creations—artistic and architectural

"Ah, Nancy, you know mine's better. Just look at those ears!" mutters Maureen Berndt between pen strokes.

Burning incense seems to agree with the art students of Miss Lyna Lou Nordstrom. Fascinating creations in her classroom stem from the free and easy atmosphere that is so necessary to successful self-expression. Miss Nordstrom's creative talents carry over into her sophomore English class.

Mechanical drawing students find that a sense of accuracy is needed in mastering their subject. The job of training these future architects is entrusted to Mr. Edward Sugg. Woodworking completes the schedule of industrial arts courses offered at West.

Mr. Edward Sugg

N.C. State, B.S.
Mechanical Drawing and Woodwork

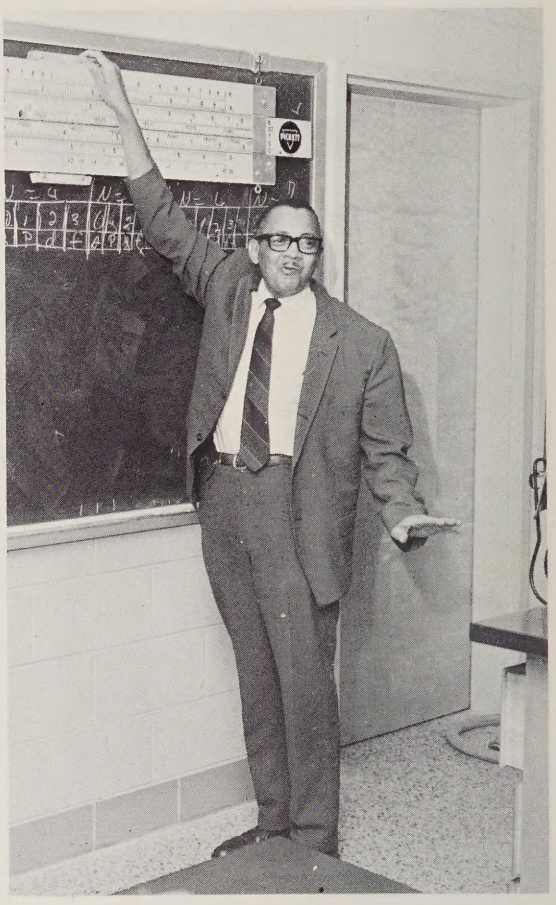
Miss Lyna Lou Nordstrom

Gustavus Adolphus College, B.A.
Art

Cook, Parker and Berridge teach sciences

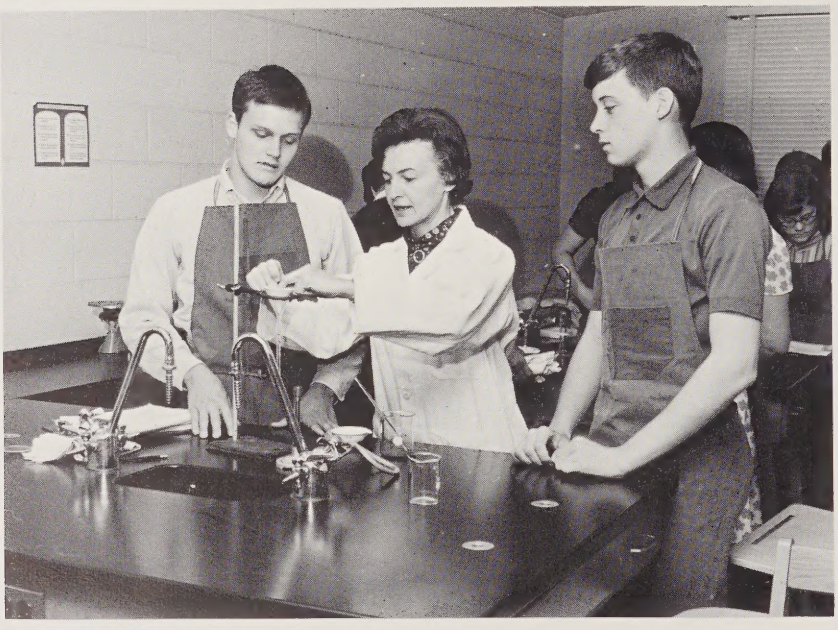
Miss Frances Cook

Appalachian, B.S.
Biology



Mr. Fred Parker

Livingstone, Columbia, B.S., M.A.
Chemistry, Physics



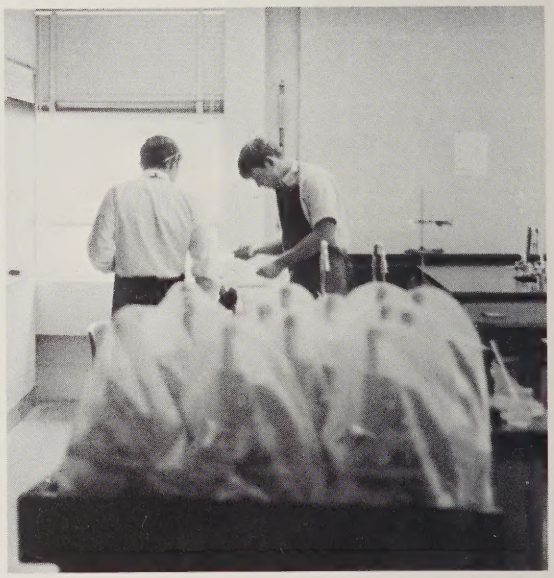
Mrs. Mary Berridge

Ashbury, A.B.
Biology, Chemistry

Students who remember seeing Miss Frances Cook running about in a gym suit and tennis shoes have seen a change in the former girls' physical education director. This year she is teaching biology classes and directing her students in laboratory experiments. Although no longer coaching, Miss Cook is still the number one fan of female athletics.

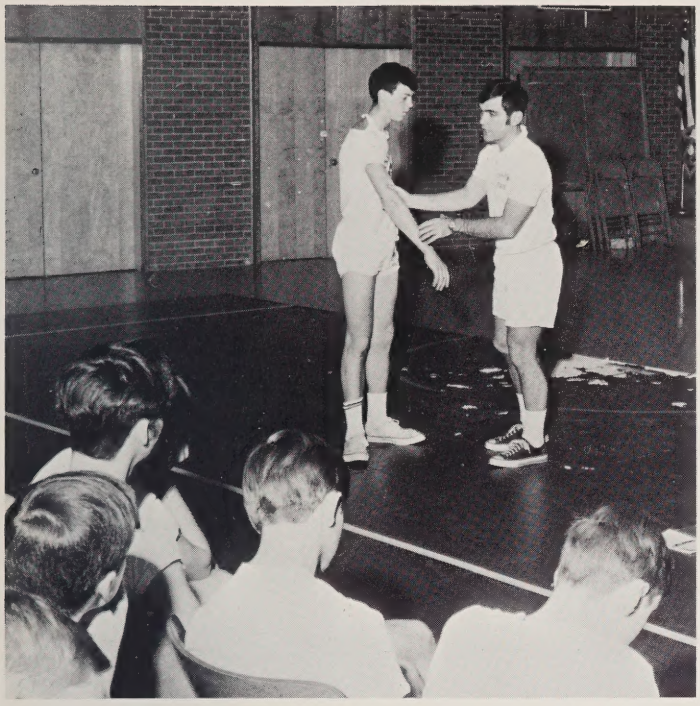
Experimentation is the key word in Mr. Fred Parker's chemistry and physics department. His students note him for his original equation of $\frac{TH}{IN} = K$. Test tubes, slide rules, and Bunsen burners are tools used in formulating chemical equations and compounds. Because of his keen interest in science, Mr. Parker advises the Jr. Engineers-Science Club.

After a two-year absence from the West faculty, Mrs. Mary Berridge has returned once again to Titan country. Her chemistry classes bubble over with analysis of chemical elements and compounds. Investigations into the world of microscopic life gives Mrs. Berridge's advanced biology classes a view of the beginnings of life itself.



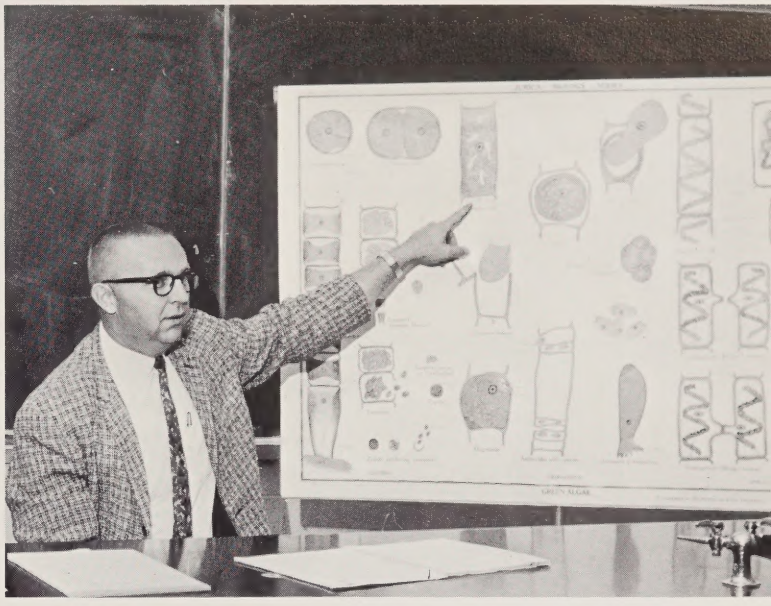
Jeff Seaton assures Rick Lunsford that he is **not** going to drop another test tube.

Coaching and science go together



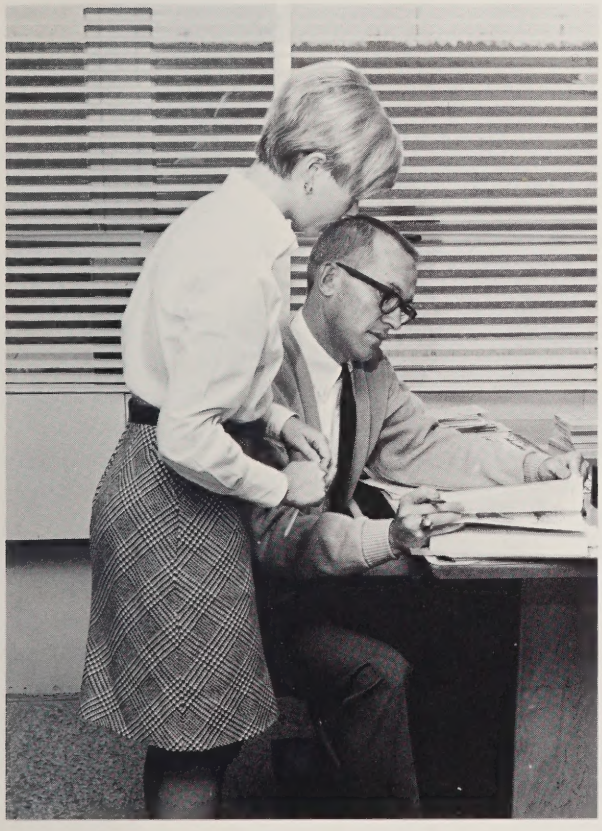
Mr. Ralph Royster

East Carolina, B.S.
Biology, Physical Education



Mr. Fred Gragg

Appalachian, B.S.
Biology



Mr. Ken Harper

Elon College, A.B.
Human Anatomy and Physiology, Physical Education

Hang in there, boys . . . this is **good** for you!

Mr. Ralph Royster is in his first year at West and is occupied with biology and physical education classes. He also assists in coaching football and track. Last summer Mr. Royster participated in the NCHS Coaching Clinic-Workshop.

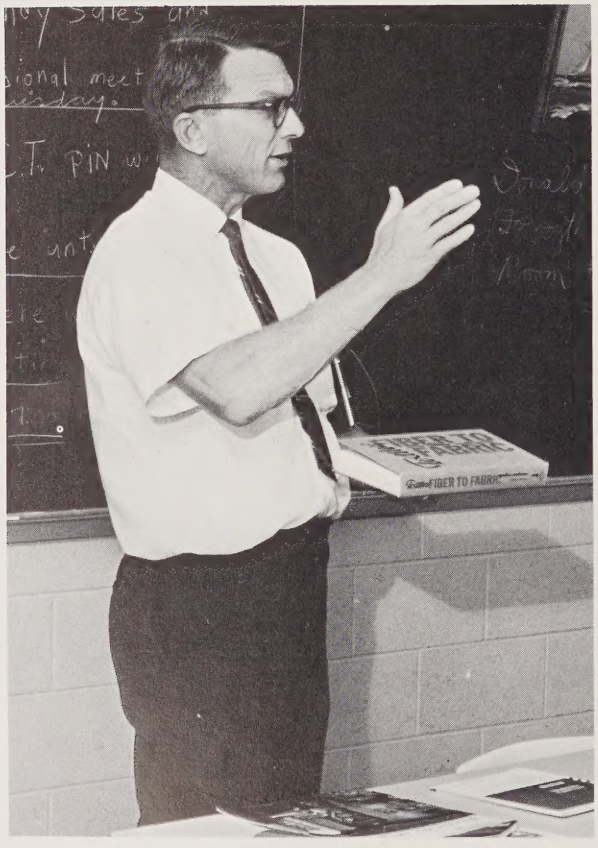
Another new face around school is that of Mr. Fred Gragg. In the classroom he concentrates on biology, while on the athletic field he coaches j.v. football and baseball. While students basked in the summer sun, Mr. Gragg attended UNC-CH on a Reynolds Scholarship.

As head football and wrestling coach, Mr. Ken Harper is responsible for directing the Titans to many victories. During the day his agenda is filled with classes in human anatomy/physiology and physical education. Mr. Harper believes in learning by doing; thus his human anatomy students find dissecting cats an unforgettable experience.

Dedicated teachers for DE and ICT

Mrs. Juanita Bowser

Brenau College, A.B.
Distributive Education



Mr. Charles Giles

Wake Forest, George Peabody, B.A., M.A.
Industrial Cooperative Training

The Distributive Education department at West is one of the most successful in North Carolina. Under the supervision of Mrs. Juanita Bowser, students are placed in part-time jobs to fit their individual needs. Mrs. Bowser encourages the D.E. student to gain a sense of responsibility in the working world.

Vocational training comes from the Industrial Cooperative Training classes of Mr. Charles Giles. His teaching duties also involve sponsoring the Vocational Industrial Clubs of America. Mr. Giles encourages his students to learn a trade and to put their skills to use while gaining job experience.

History-in-the-making at West

Mr. Frank Robinson

U.N.C.-C.H., B.A.
Social Studies

Studying foreign governments, ideologies, and beliefs characterizes Mr. Frank Robinson's history and comparative governments classes. He promotes interest in contemporary affairs by stimulating thought-provoking discussions and studies of **Time** magazine. Mr. Robinson is respected for his candid views on politics and other topics relating to world affairs.

Mr. Byron Lawson, a member of the team-teaching department, teaches U.S. History and World Culture. He specializes in concise lectures, comprehensive tests and a friendly but disciplined classroom atmosphere. This is Mr. Lawson's first year at West. Since he is a football and basketball coach, he can swing a paddle with strength and expert coordination when he has to.

Church history is of great interest to history team-teacher Mrs. Harriet Binkley, as sophomores can attest to. She teaches European History to sophomore classes and U.S. History to juniors and seniors. As sponsor of the Future Teachers of America, Mrs. Binkley often tries to persuade the members to follow in her footsteps.

Mr. James Mast expertly combines his duties as history team-teacher and West's athletic director. He is well known for sitting in on group discussions and helping the non-talkers to talk.

Mr. James Mast

Appalachian, B.S., M.A.
Social Studies

Mr. Byron Lawson

Guilford College, A.B.
Social Studies

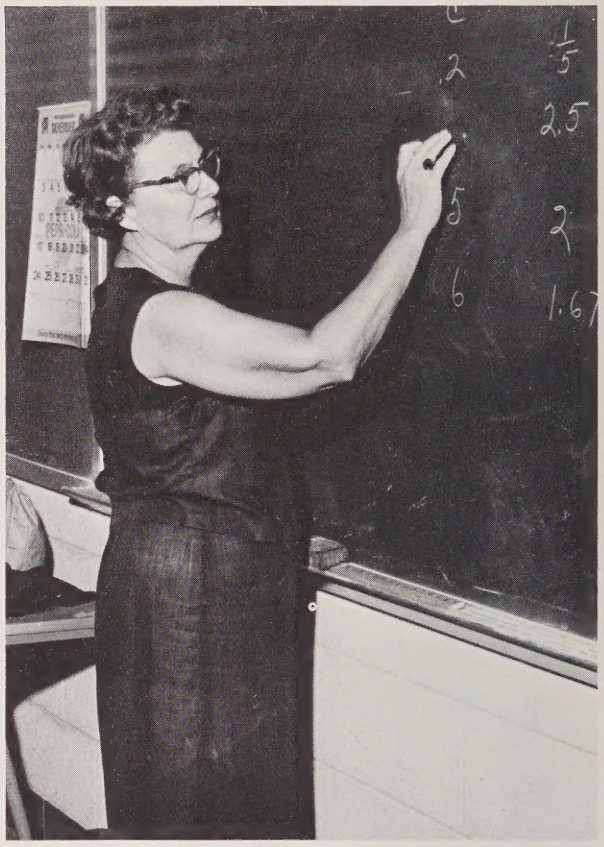
Mrs. Harriet Binkley

Flora MacDonald College, B.A.
Social Studies

The new Math: 6=1

Mrs. Maxine Perdue

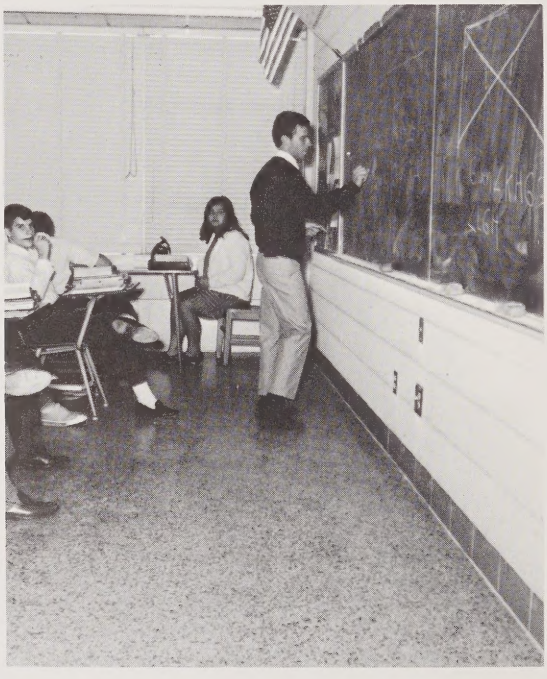
Salem College, B.A.
Mathematics, Dramatics

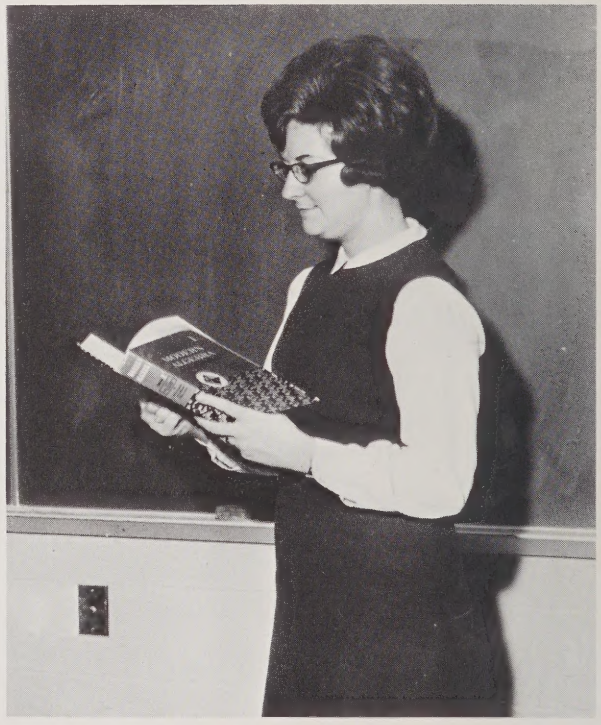


Mrs. Bonnie Green

College of Wooster, A.B.
Mathematics

Mr. Tyler shows his class how to set up a proof in geometry.





Mrs. Frances Scott

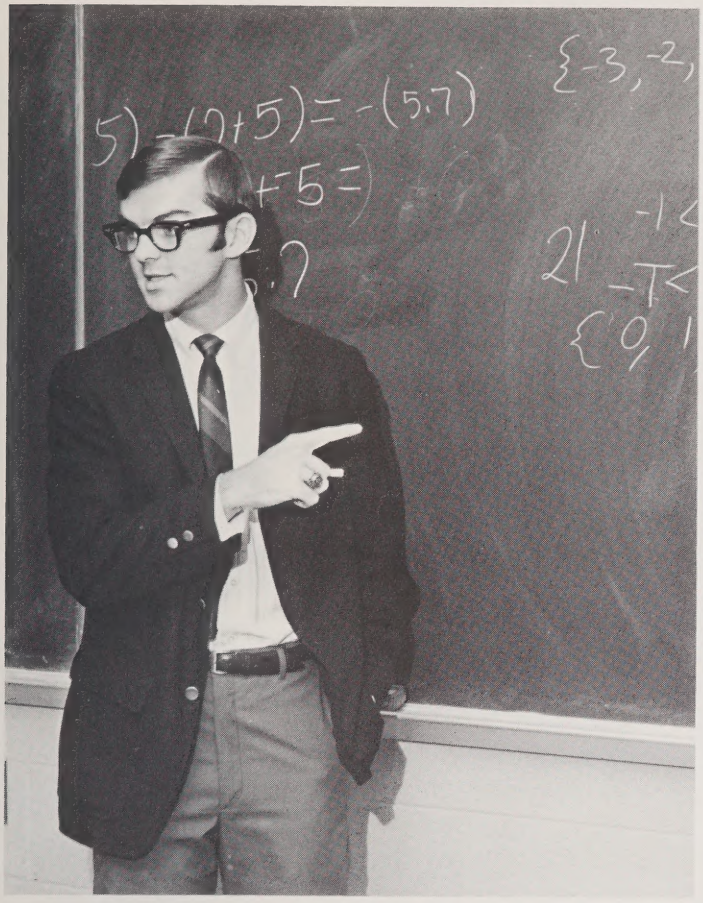
N.C. State, B.S.
Mathematics

Slide rules are an institution in the math classes of Mrs. Bonnie Green. Her comprehensive knowledge of mathematics makes life a little easier for her students, especially those taking the advanced courses. Aside from her full slate of classes, Mrs. Green sponsors the National Honor Society.

General math and algebra classes are the responsibility of Mrs. Frances Scott. She is involved with helping students master equations and logarithms.

Geometry and dramatics are in the capable hands of Mrs. Maxine Perdue. While keeping her geometry classes busy at proving theorems, Mrs. Perdue finds time to direct first-rate dramatics productions.

Six math teachers=one super department



Mr. William S. Middleton

N.C. State, B.S.
Mathematics

Mr. John Tyler

Ventura Junior College, Chico State College, A.A., B.A.
Mathematics

Miss Mary Currin

Meredith College, A.B.
Mathematics

Algebra and general mathematics teacher Mr. Steve Middleton is also an athlete. When he is not solving equations, Mr. Middleton is out on the track, coaching cross country runners and track men. He is also assistant wrestling coach.

The polished, high-stepping Titanides are due largely to the efforts of Miss Mary Currin. She is also a member of the mathematics department, teaching general mathematics and algebra courses. Miss Currin is a member of the NCEA and last summer was awarded a National Science Foundation Scholarship to Duke University.

The room with the colorful, psychedelic blackboard belongs to Mr. John Tyler, algebra and geometry teacher. Mr. Tyler is a strong believer in change, and he proves it by changing the seats around every other week. This is Mr. Tyler's first year at West, and during the summer he studied mathematics at Wake Forest University.

Think and communicate are

Dry humor and a vast knowledge of literature characterize senior English teacher Mr. James Anderson. When he is not quoting from a great literary work, he is inviting his classes to attend a play. During the summer, he attended summer institutes at UNC-G and Appalachian State University.

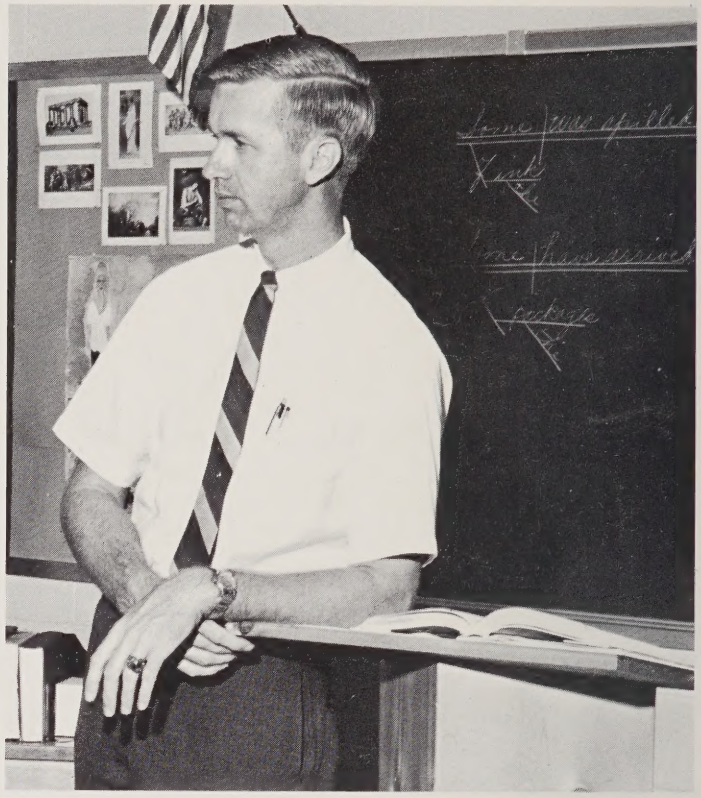
Sophisticated in her manner, Mrs. Maxine Mast serves as an English IV teacher and senior sponsor. Her specialty lies in encouraging students to build a better vocabulary. After participating in Mrs. Mast's class, seniors never forget the immortal tales of Greek mythology.

"Work" is the word for the duties of Mrs. Juanita Clarke. In addition to conducting junior English classes, Mrs. Clarke is advisor to the **Cronus** and **Zephyr.** She helps with layouts, stencils, pictures, and offers a great deal of moral support.

Mrs. Maxine Mast

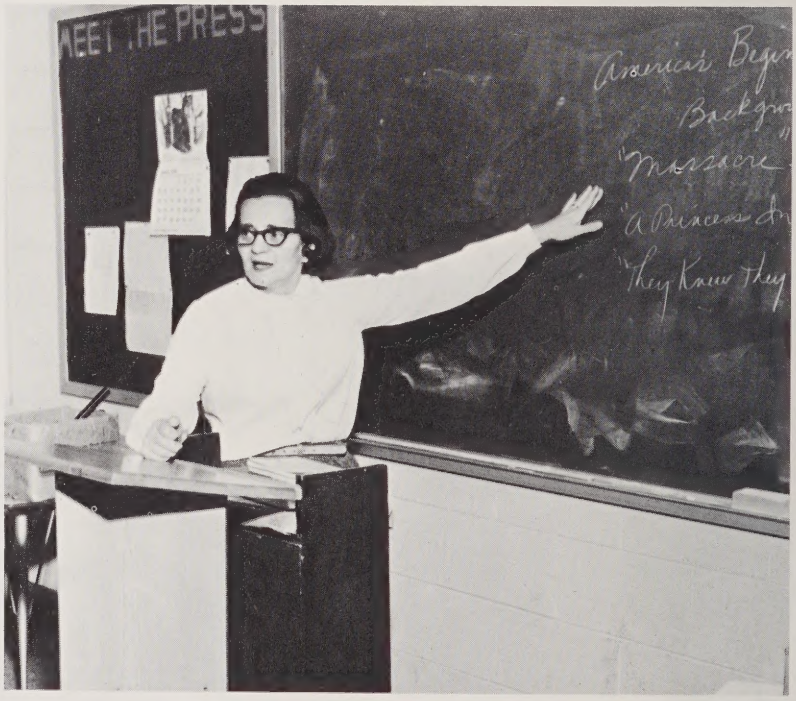
High Point College, A.B.
English

Mr. Anderson can't take it. "No, Danny. Fireball Roberts **did not** drive the sun god's chariot."



Mr. James Anderson

Catawba, Appalachian, A.B., M.A.
English



Mrs. Juanita Clarke

Meredith College, A.B.
English, Jounalism

demands of English department

Getting sophomores off to a fresh start in high school English is the job of Mrs. Margaret King. Literature, vocabulary words, and book reports are not uncommon to her students, while projects on **Silas Marner** and **Julius Caesar** are annual events. Outside the classroom situation, Mrs. King finds time to coordinate activities for the Y-Teens. Her kindness and patience are two qualities both students and faculty find admirable.

Juniors look to Mrs. Jane Everhart as their English teacher and class sponsor. In her classes she incorporates ideas in thematic presentation and tries to get her students to think through these ideas. The class of '70 will not soon forget Mrs. Everhart's "green pea" outfit which helped them win in the Spirit Week competition.

A familiar personality at West is that of Miss Ruth Farthing, also a sophomore English instructor. **Julius Caesar** and **Silas Marner** come alive in her classes as do other characters found in the tenth grade literature book. Along with her teaching duties, Miss Farthing sponsors the Quill and Scroll society for outstanding journalists.

Mrs. Margaret King

U.N.C.-G., A.B.
English

Mrs. Jane Everhart

U.N.C.-C.H., A.B.
English

Miss Ruth Farthing

Appalachian, B.S.
English

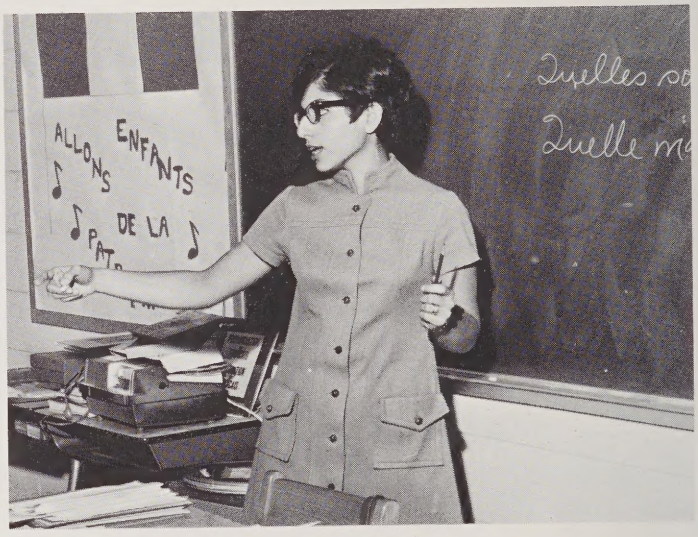
Language gets translation in Building 4

Mrs. Ann Ferrell

Salem College, B.A.
Spanish

Mrs. Kathryn Lane

Wake Forest, B.A.
French, English



Mrs. Teresa Franson

University of Massachusetts, A.B.
French, English

Miss Ann McMaster

Salem College, B.A.
Latin

Skits, tapes, and verb tenses are all a part of Mrs. Ann Ferrell's Spanish classes. This year the Spanish department was fortunate in having Jaime Patino, an exchange student from Bucaramanga, display his "true" Spanish accent. Aside from her teaching duties, Mrs. Ferrell boosts school spirit by sponsoring the varsity and j.v. cheerleaders.

Latin is far from being a "dead" language under Miss Ann McMaster's direction. She strives to make her lessons more than just learning vocabulary words and verb forms. Along with teaching a sophomore English class, Miss McMaster finds time to support many school activities.

"J'adore Paris" is the favorite saying of Mrs. Kathryn Lane. French art and literature spice up her curriculum in encouraging students to appreciate all aspects of French culture. Mrs. Lane also teaches an English II class and serves as sophomore sponsor.

The newest member of the foreign language department is Mrs. Teresa Franson. Her French IV students find that she is very thorough in her method of teaching this romantic language. Along with other French classes, Mrs. Franson conducts a senior English class and coordinates the Campus Life Club.

Two EXTRAS—cars and strings

Titans carrying stringed instruments around campus belong to Mrs. Georgia Wallace strings class. A keen interest and musical talent are the requirements necessary to master this course. Thanks to Mrs. Wallace, the cultural aspects of music are being fulfilled at West.

Mrs. Georgia Wallace
Northwestern University

"Your attitude is the main factor that makes you a good or bad driver." These words are often quoted by Mr. Harold Miller and Mr. Worth Seats, West's qualified driver education instructors. In classroom training, the basic fundamentals of safe driving are stressed. Being experts on all local streets and highways, Mr. Seats and Mr. Miller direct Titan drivers through varied situations during in-car training.

Mr. Worth Seats
Catawba, A.B.
Driver's Education

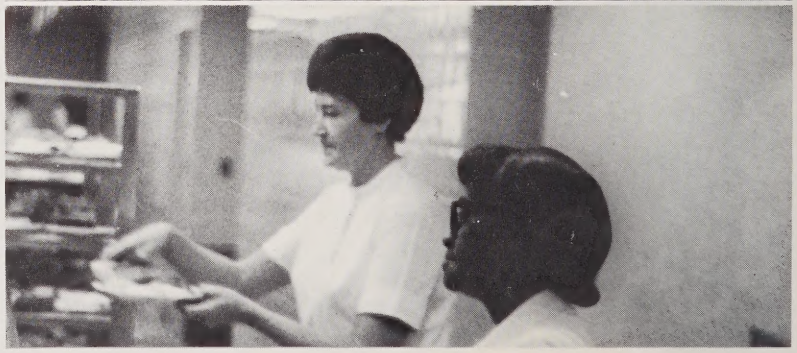
Mr. Harold Miller
Appalachian, B.S., M.A.
Driver's Education

Only 1,000 lunches served daily

Back in the kitchen, the cafeteria staff prepares a noon-time meal. Miss Leona Binkley, Mrs. Vera Maynard, Mrs. Mary Atkins, Mrs. Hazel Jones, Mrs. Claudia Holder, Mrs. Betty Dull, Mrs. Edna Binkley, Mrs. Vivian Evans, Mrs. Jessie Smith, and Mrs. Elizabeth Miller offer varied menus.

Everyday around noon, the ladies in the cafeteria are kept busy feeding the hungry souls that pack the cafeteria. Under the management of Mrs. Edna Binkley, the lunchroom staff prepares varied menus to suit the tastes of every student. Plate lunches, salads, hot dogs, french fries, and hamburgers are among the foods available for selection.

"Wipe out kitchen sinks . . . let Mrs. Elizabeth Miller do it!"



Above: The West Forsyth lunch-bunch. **Below:** "Leave the serving to us!"

Staff collects all litter donations

Four of the hardest working people at West compose the janitorial staff. Constantly striving to keep the buildings and campus in order, the maids and janitors must clean up the messes that sometimes "forgetful" Titans are always making. In appreciation of keeping the facilities clean, the Student Council presented turkeys at Christmas-time to the keepers of West.

Always on the go to keep things straight (Mrs. Hill).

Mrs. Mildred Hawkins and Mrs. Thomasina Hawkins strive to keep the Titan trails clean.

Above left: "These kids sure know how to waste paper!" mumbles Jeremiah Johnson. **Below left:** "Mrs. Hawkins thinks that she's going to leave **me** here with all the work!" says Mrs. Catherine Hill.

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Spring brings

"How dirty can you get?" Sharon Baldwin and Debbie Spaugh clean the trophy case doors. The Student Council sponsored the all-campus clean-up.

Bobby Binkley chats with Dr. J. Ralph Scales, president of Wake Forest University. Dr. Scales spoke to the student body on the advances in America's civilization.

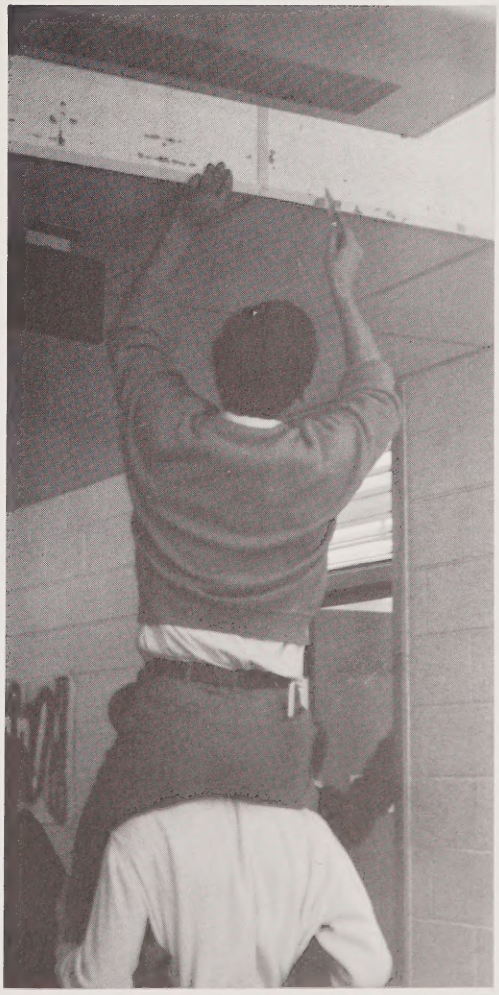
When he says 'hurry', its best to hurry!

new goals, higher aims

Proudly clutching their trophys, Janice Renegar and Tommy Myers, VICA members, display prizes from district competitions.

In spring, a young man's fancy . . .

Pitted against their students' parents, Mrs. Berridge and Miss Currin display hidden athletic talents.



Services of every description were offered during the clean-up. By the way, that's tape, not gum, being scraped off the wall!

At the end of the day—after six classes and exhausting sessions—one reflects on the events of the day. "What kind of marks and impressions did I make to today? Will the things I did today follow me for the rest of the year, or were they forgotten soon after they happened?"

Tests, grades, and extra-curricular activities will be put on school records. Class room incidents, dances, pep rallies, games, and friends are etched as memories.

High school is a time for memories, good times, discovery, and learning. West Forsyth offers its students many opportunities for leaving a mark. But even if the mark has not been felt at West, West has left its mark on those who come here.

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